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350 Dead, Millions Homeless In Flooded U.K.—Low Countries

ke Releases Chiang Forces o Fight Reds

Cancels Truman Fleet Order,
Repudiates FDR-Stalin Deals

By LYLE C. WILSON

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Eisenhower told Congress today the U.S. fleet will "no longer shield Communist China" from armed Nationalist invasion and called repudiation of secret Roosevelt-Stalin agreements to raze the slate for a "new, positive foreign policy." In his first State of the Union message, he also charged has prevented Chinese Nationalists troops on Formosa from raiding the Red China mainland. It was his first move to step up military pressure on the Chinese Reds for peace in Korea and throughout Asia.

In another implied slap at his Democratic predecessor, Mr. Eisenhower said the United States has "incontrovertible evidence that Soviet Russia possesses atomic weapons," regardless of Mr. Truman's recently-voiced doubts on the matter.

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is major legislative proposals included:

Extend the tariff-cutting Reciprocal Trade Act with due regard for domestic industry, agriculture and labor standards.

Grant Hawaii statehood in time to participate in the 1954 presidential elections.

Corrective amendment of Taft-Hartley Act for which Labor Department will have recommendations.

Amend the McCarran-Walter Immigration Act to remove discrimination and indices.

Extend to additional millions of persons the coverage of the Old Age and Survivors' Insurance (Social Security Act)

ill Recognize No Secret Pacts

Mr. Eisenhower said he would pass a resolution "making it clear that this government recognizes no kind of commitment in secret understandings of the past with foreign governments" which permits the slavement of any people," did not elaborate.

Before announcing his dramatic decision to unleash General Chiang Kai-Shek's nationalist troops on Formosa for never harassing raids they conduct against the Chinese mainland, Mr. Eisenhower was serving as "a defensive arm of Communist China."

"Consequently," he continued, "there is no longer any logic or sense in a condition that required the United States Navy to assume defensive responsibilities on behalf of the Chinese Communists, thus permitting those communists, with greater impunity, to kill our soldiers and those of our United Nations allies, in Korea."

The President said direct wage-price controls have been a flop in controlling inflation and he will not ask that they be extended beyond April 30, even on a standby basis. He said decontrol will, in fact, begin even before April 30 "in an orderly manner."

The President preferred persuasion and example in seeking overall civil rights to any program of federal legislation. He assumed without qualification responsibility for assuring the loyalty of all persons in the executive branch of government and implied he would be happy if Congress left the loyalty problem to him.

R. Eisenhauer spelled out reasons for changing instructions to the Seventh Fleet, as the 1950 orders were issued. Chinese Communists had backed United Nations forces Korea and Red China had backed the Soviet Union in re-



Chiang Freed

President Eisenhower's new orders to the 7th Fleet, announced to Congress today, would allow Chinese nationalists under Gen. Chiang Kai-Shek (above) to launch commando-type raids across Formosa Strait to mainland. Previously, U.S. Fleet had played neutralizing role in Formosa waters.

BULLETINS

Ont. Woman Shot

STRATFORD, Ont. (CP) — A young woman was shot to death today on a busy downtown street. Police shortly afterwards questioned a paratrooper in connection with the shooting but did not release his name.

The victim is reported to be Marilyn Satchell, about 17, an 11th grade student at Stratford Collegiate.

To Jail or Russia

NEW YORK (AP) — Thirteen convicted U.S. Communists leaders today were offered a choice, either go to Russia or to jail, but defense counsel promptly rejected the go-to-Russia alternative.

Judge Edward Dimock put forward his unusual "probation plan" as the Red Leaders were called into court for sentencing.

Seek Milk Extension

PORT ALBERNI, B.C. (CP) — Port Alberni and district farmers and distributors are applying for extension of milk board controls to cover this area, it was reported today.

Safe Crackers Start Fire, Take \$10,000

VANCOUVER (CP) — Safe-crackers escaped with \$10,000 early today from an Arbutus Street supermarket.

A big safe was carted away after a terrific explosion blew a hole in a second-story office, plunging the strongbox to the main floor of the store.

The charge of explosive not only blew a hole in the floor, but started a fire in a washroom into which the safe fell," reported owner Dave MacFarlane.

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39 Lost IN PLANE OVER ATLANTIC

Missing Aircraft
Now Total Five

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

Five aircraft with 62 persons aboard were being hunted today from bases on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. One man is known dead in another plane crash and five others are presumed to have been drowned.

Thirty-nine persons were aboard Skysways of London four-engined York reported early today to be down in the icy North Atlantic. Winds of almost 75 miles an hour churned the ocean in the search area.

An RCAF Lancaster bomber and its nine-man crew were missing in the rocky wilderness of Labrador. Two engines failed as the bomber searched the Sunday for a U.S. civilian plane and its two occupants, missing four days.

At some points the swirling floods were 30 feet deep. Farmers faced months and years of hard-toil to reclaim the salt-damaged acres for agriculture.

The Dutch weather bureau warned that high winds today would continue to threaten the broken dikes.

Breaching Holland's historic

dikes in countless places, the flood-waters poured inland as much as 40 miles at some points.

Harshest hit were the provinces of Zeeland and Northern Brabant in Southern Holland, the Frisian isle of Texel and the Island of Walcheren, at the mouth of the West Scheldt.

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The waters poured south into Belgium, flooding even wider areas of Flanders and turning the great port of Antwerp into a city of confusion. Telephones and electric lights were knocked out. Ships in drydocks were overturned.

It was at sundown. Gunn reported. "First we saw a shiny object then, to the left, we saw a greyish-white thing in a tree."

It was on the east side of the mountain about 10 miles from Vancouver.

"Three of us tried to get in there Sunday but the weather closed in on us."

Meanwhile the RCAF said only one search plane is in the air so far today. It is searching Tseta Lake area about 200 miles north of here for the RCAF Dakota missing since Wednesday with seven aboard.

When the weather clears, more planes will go up to search for the two RCAF planes and the Central B.C. Airways plane that crashed-landed near Butedale, 400 miles north of here, Wednesday. Five passengers of the latter plane are still unaccounted for and are presumed drowned.

So far, 32 drowned had been reported from the islands of Zealand province. Some of these islands still were cut off from the outside. Nord Beveland, more than 60 square miles in area—was said to be totally under water. Another Zealand island, Schouwen-Duiveland, also was out of touch.

Thousands of Dutch and Belgians tried to plug the gaping holes in the dikes with sandbags or fought their way through the swirling, near-freezing waters, seeking survivors. Many were drowned in their homes before they could escape.

Two battalions of French army engineers were dispatched to the stricken lowlands. Despite its own catastrophe across the channel, Britain's Royal Navy ordered four helicopters to Valkenberg, The Netherlands, to assist.

\$500,000 Fire

COLLINGWOOD, Ont. (BUP) — Fire that burst out of control half the firefighters knocked off for coffee ripped through a downtown business block in this Georgian Bay shipbuilding centre and caused damage estimated today at \$500,000.

Four stores and two apartments above one of them were destroyed.

first came to power, are instituted, or if the fledgling government will follow traditional Tory principles because of the large number of ex-Tories within its ranks.

The Throne Speech, however,

will not reveal all the government's plans. It will give a general outline of the government's course of action during the session, but details of the program will not be known until legislation is presented to the House.

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All indications are that there will be no major changes in hospital insurance, but this subject will undoubtedly provoke some hot clashes in the House.

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ON THE TIMES

By ART STOTT

You gain admission to the upper brackets of the gardening aristocracy, I'm told, when you can "shoot names." "Shooting names" is the pastime of the elite. When you can walk around a garden and place the correct label on every plant, shrub, flower and tree, you're in.

It's not quite horticultural snobbishness. It's not quite that, but when name-shooters meet someone who couldn't hit a target at five feet with a garden encyclopaedia, the name-shooters are inclined to sniff. Unless they're particularly gracious, they can't help wearing that "Forgive them, Father, they know not" look.

Now, in our family, we're never stuck for identification. The Times once had a garden reporter who was the same way. He could tell you what anything was. He'd lead small informal tours around his borders and explain this, that and the other. Then his brother, who worked in a bank and enjoyed no reputation at all as a horticulturist, would tag along at the end of the tour and tell visitors the right names for the different plants his expert brother had identified incorrectly. That was long time before Jack and Hilda took over.

Our family doesn't limit itself to gardens. Put us in the wilds and we'll do just as well. Ask one of the kids what that pink stuff is that grows on Mossy Rock at Shawinigan. Just to be sure, they'll ask you what pink stuff, and you'll say that pink stuff that grows in sort of a cloud just after the forget-me-nots have bloomed.

You Know the Stuff

"Oh," they'll say, "you mean that pink stuff that grows on Mossy Rock after the forget-me-nots have bloomed." And you'll say, "Yeah, what do you call it?" They'll answer, "Why, we call it that pink stuff that grows on Mossy Rock just after the forget-me-nots have bloomed. What do you call it?" Just born botanists, our crowd.

Point to an evergreen and ask them what it is. If it's small, they'll tell you it's a Christmas tree. If it's large, they'll explain it's an evergreen.

The word around you is so much more interesting when you can identify species that way.

I like to think that our crowd isn't snobbish about this vast store of natural lore it has acquired. Nor do the youngsters intend to rest on their laurels. They're going to dig out some more information. They'll be shooting names with the best in a short time.

How do I know? Well, it just happens that the family acquired a copy of Ches Lyons' new book, "Trees, Shrubs and Flowers to Know in British Columbia." It's the kind of volume a youngster can use and it doesn't insult the intelligence of an adult. I like it, too. It's got pictures.

When we've worked over its different sections, we'll be able to be even more expansive than we are now in telling folk what's what in the woods.

Friend of Mine

What does make me a little snobbish on the deal is the fact that I'm acquainted with the author-compiler. Friend of mine, you know—one of the young men in the forest service's parks division who are working to help British Columbians overcome a prevailing ignorance of British Columbia.

So any time you want to know the name of a tree, shrub or flower in British Columbia, ask me. Only wait until I have Ches' book with me. On the other hand, maybe you could save time by getting one yourself. I'm still busy with mine, finding out what that pink stuff is that grows on Mossy Rock just after the forget-me-nots bloom.

City Ballroom Dancers Make History at Exams

Canadian dance history was first made in Victoria over the weekend with the inception here of ballroom dancing examinations.

The exams are part of a plan by the Canadian Dance Teachers' Association to improve the standard of dancing across Canada.

The Academy of Ballroom

Court Approves Settlement Terms In Damage Suit

Western Lumber Carriers Ltd. has settled out of court a suit brought by Mrs. Alice Cook, of Vancouver, and Robert A. Halliday, a British seaman, who were injured at the Victoria Outer Wharf a year ago.

The two were walking from a ship when they saw a lumber carrier approaching. They dodged behind a pile of lumber to get out of its way but the carrier hit the lumber pile and some of it fell on their feet.

The settlement, approved in B.C. Supreme Court in Vancouver last week, provides \$1,000 for Mrs. Cook and \$350 for Halliday.

Britain's Gasoline War Erupts in Open

LONDON (AP)—Britain's gasoline war flared into the open today with the return of brand-name motor fuel for the first time in 13 years. Filling station attendants are handing out pencils, razor blades, key rings and handkerchiefs to customers. Brand names were banned in 1940 when all Britain went over to low-grade "pool petrol." The new brands cost about a half-penny a gallon more than the pool mixture.



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'NOT COMMITTED' U.K. HOUSE TOLD

U.S. Release of 7th Fleet Stirs British Members

LONDON (CP)—Prime Minister Churchill told an uneasy Parliament today he made "no formal or informal commitments" to President Eisenhower during their meetings in New York.

Answering questions about the meetings, he said all his conversations were private and confidential and he therefore did not propose to make any statement about them.

"I can, however, assure the House that no commitments formal or informal were entered into by me," he added.

Churchill went on:

"I am sure that it was a great advantage to me to make or renew these friendly contacts and I feel better equipped to form conclusions on the many complex issues on which cordial agreement between Great Britain and the United States is desirable and important."

Churchill also announced that Foreign Secretary Eden will make a statement about the island of Formosa Tuesday—a statement that is expected to express Britain's concern at a reported change in American policy towards the island on which Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalist Chinese army is based.

Churchill was pressed by Labor members—including former foreign secretary Herbert Morrison—to say whether he had discussed the future status of the disputed island with Eisenhower.

The British leader sidestepped this and several other questions. Then followed a vain bid by Labor member Desmond Donnelly to drop all scheduled Commons business and debate "the urgent need to prevent the spread of the Korean war" and to consult immediately with the United States, India and other United Nations governments.

The Speaker rejected the motion. He ruled an official statement of a new Formosa policy has yet to be made by all governments except Ontario and Quebec.

At a pep meet on Friday, master of ceremonies Walt Young read a letter from Jerry Goley who recently returned from Korea with his Smile Show. In it he stressed that "a pint of blood means so little to us and so much to the boys in Korea." Student director Marj Bell announced that 20 beds will be set up in the auditorium and a Red Cross staff of 14 will be in attendance from 10:30 to 3:30. Slogan for the drive is "Cash In Your Corpuses."

IDELE SHIPPING

OSLO, Norway (CP)—Because of a drop in ocean freight rates which have made operations unprofitable in many cases, Norwegian shipping companies have laid up 25 vessels with a total tonnage of 60,000 tons deadweight.

Police chief Francis J. Mooney said the train was moving slowly northward near Fort Edward Saturday night when the engineer noticed something wrong as it hit the switch. Two rails were broken but the train remained on the tracks and continued to Montreal.

At Albany, F. D. Lonergan, assistant to the Delaware and Hudson vice-president and general manager, said the switch had been battered and thrown against northbound traffic. He said he had "not the slightest idea" who tampered with the switch.

At 4:30 a.m. yesterday, Michael Chudleigh, aged three, was fatally injured when his father's car and Ross's collided at Foul Bay and Cadboro Bay Roads.

Hugh Botterell is counsel for Ross. George F. Gregory for Chudleigh.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE

At 6:30 Harry McPhail all his hair. He always wears a full head of hair for safety, he says. Cuticura Soap for shaving is recommended by his barber. Try it! Buy today!

*Letter on file.

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'THE SEA IS IN THE GARDEN!'

Families Flee Flood's Devastating Assault

GREAT WAKERING, Norfolk, England (Reuters)—Joe Goodwin, who lived here in an old shack with his wife and infant son, told Sunday how he escaped from the great floods which roared in over south-eastern England.

"I got out of bed in the middle of the night and stepped into a foot of water," he said.

"I opened the front door and the flood nearly knocked me over. I shouted to my wife to climb on top of the wardrobe. She did, carrying our three-year-old baby, Allen, with her. Then I smashed a hole through the roof and we climbed out on top. We were practically naked."

'WE WOULD HAVE DIED HAD IT NOT BEEN FOR ANNIE'

CANNING TOWN, Essex (Reuters)—Sixty-seven-year-old Annie Sheppard, plowed through frigid water wearing only a nightdress to warn her neighbors of the oncoming flood. One of them said: "Many of us would have died had it not been for Annie."

SOUTHEND, Essex (Reuters)—Harry Lake, 61, got in a boat for the first time in his life Sunday and brought 12 marooned persons to safety.

... LIKE A LOT OF BIG LAKES

Air Eye-Witness Tells of Disaster

By EDDIE WORTH
LONDON (AP) — It was a sight I had never seen before. It looked like a lot of big lakes or seas dotting the countryside.

The wind was so strong when we took off from Croydon to view flood-stricken areas that we hardly had to move before we were airborne. We were nearly at 1,000 feet before we passed out of the airport area.

Flying northward, every inch of the Norfolk coast looked completely wrecked. Every house on the sea front seemed to be covered with wreckage.

Top of the sand dunes could be seen but then far inland was what looked like a big lake. The tops of the dunes gave the impression of an island between two seas.

We cut across the Wash to Skegness in Lincolnshire and all the way to Mablethorpe was another sea stretching several miles inland. There were a lot of lake-like bodies of water between Skegness and Marble-

thorpe. The railway line along the coast had disappeared.

Far inland from the coastline I saw people wading through water in their own backyards.

I could see a lot of rescue trucks, too, going along swishing through the water.

Edmonton Bus Strike Averted

EDMONTON (CP) — Edmonton bus drivers have won a pay scale equal to the highest in the country. At the same time, bus fares went up Sunday to 10 cents straight, or 11 tickets for \$1.

Edmonton's 450 bus drivers now will receive \$1.51 an hour, the rate paid in Toronto, Vancouver and Victoria. The city council's action, taken at an emergency meeting Saturday, ended a strike threat.

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Wurtele Back, Sees Bigger Federal Grant

An increased annual federal grant to Esquimalt was forecast this morning by Reeve A. C. Wurtele on his return by air from Ottawa.

Ottawa also may pay for improvements to Admirals Road, he believes.

"It would be unfair to say we'll definitely get the increase," he said, "but I am very hopeful."

Reeve Wurtele carried a petition to federal authorities from his municipality for the increase because it was felt that non-taxable federal lands in Esquimalt represented an annual tax loss of \$56,000. He will give a full report to the council at the regular meeting Monday at 7.30 p.m.

The matter of lands purchased by the Dominion government in Esquimalt last year but never paid for was also settled satisfactorily, Reeve Wurtele disclosed.

Also under discussion at Ottawa was the question of responsibility for the rebuilding of Admirals Road from Esquimalt Road to the boundary of the municipality.

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LASH WILL BACK MALAN LAW TO FORCE RACE SEGREGATION

CAPETOWN (Reuters)—Prime Minister Daniel Malan's Nationalist government won a vote of confidence in the South African House of Assembly today, shortly after proposing sharp new measures for quelling the passive-resistance campaign against its racial-segregation laws.

Earlier, the House had received from Justice Minister Charles Swart a criminal law amendment bill providing for severe penalties, including whippings, for offences against segregation laws.

The bill also struck a blow against organizations outside South Africa giving financial aid to passive resistance campaigners.

It provides for seizure of "postal articles" containing or suspected to contain funds to be used in support of any resistance movement.

Frenchmen Counter Queries by Dulles

PARIS (AP)—John Foster Dulles, the United States Secretary of State, met French leaders today with a spate of questions about France's reluctance to push for European unity.

The French, worried over President Eisenhower's reported decision to end the U.S. fleet's neutralization of Formosa, also were expected to ask some questions about this.

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A Higher Baby Bonus?

THE CCF RECENTLY ASKED the Canadian Parliament to increase children's allowances sufficiently to compensate the recipients for the rising prices of recent years. This seems an attractive idea at first sight. Every family which receives allowances—which means every Canadian family with children under 16 years of age—no doubt would like to have a larger monthly cheque. But the government, refusing to play politics and bid for these people's votes, rejected the CCF proposal. A moment's thought should show why the government's decision was wise.

Children's allowances cannot be considered apart from the other welfare services of the state. This year Canada will spend the huge sum of \$1.3 billions for such purposes through the federal, provincial and municipal governments, apart altogether from every form of private charity. In a nation of our size and resources that surely is all we can afford at the present time when defense alone is costing us over \$2 billions, about four times our total prewar federal budget. It is a welfare program of proportions never approached by any country.

When the defense program eases, or when the total wealth of the country per capita rises, we shall have more money to spend for social security, if the public desires it. At the moment the most obvious demand of the public is for tax reductions, not for the increases necessary to support larger social services. In every aspect of government we have bitten off all we can chew. And if, as a result of increasing our commitments, we provoke further inflation the value of all social service payments—as of all fixed savings—will continue to decline.

A Youth Paid

AT THE GATES OF WANDS-WORTH prison in Britain last week great crowds gathered to protest the hanging of a 19-year-old youth. It was the last of several unsuccessful measures to save the life of the boy convicted and sentenced for a murder which he did not commit and which took place 15 minutes after he was under arrest.

Derek Bentley was one of a group robbing a warehouse. He was caught, unarmed, and was being held by a detective when one of his mates appeared in a doorway with a gun in his hand. The evidence shows that Bentley called to the other youth, "Let him have it, Chris" and the lad fired, killing a constable. The boy with the gun, a juvenile, has been imprisoned "during the Queen's pleasure."

In law, the fact that Bentley did not fire the fatal shot did not excuse him. He was one of a group which combined to commit a crime and as such, he was jointly responsible for that murder and has paid the extreme penalty. The younger boy escaped the gallows because of his age.

The principle of law clearly shown in the Bentley case should be understood by all people, particularly youths who may embark upon

Get the Full Picture

THE PEOPLE OF CANADA DO not want to socialize the CPR. One nationalized railway, the CNR, is sufficient to serve as a yardstick of costs and service. The great majority of Canadians prefer to retain private enterprise in their public utilities as well as in smaller industries, as long as it proves efficient.

But the Lethbridge Herald, the able foothills journal of Sen. Buchanan, wonders editorially if this frame of mind will hold in the face of ever changing freight rates.

Does not the fact that CPR stock has risen from \$10 or \$12 to around \$30 in the past few years appear odd in view of the poor mouth put on by officials of the transcontinental line in their appearance before the Board of Transport Commissioners?

The answer appears to lie in accounting methods. The CPR insists that its arguments for higher freight rates be based on railway operations only. But what, asks the Herald, about the other aspects of this wide-spread organization?

The Commissioners should have regard, in setting the vital rates that can aid or depress Canada's east-west trade, to the company's \$18

Disturbing

THE OUTBREAK OF FIRES IN a number of merchant ships in British ports, and reports of damage to navy ships strongly suggest that more coincidence is involved.

These are not the first incidents of such a nature. There have been a number of similar "unexplained"

Incidents

happening over the past year or two.

Damage has occurred in places and is of a nature to suggest a subversive infiltration of ranks in which normally full confidence is placed. The public will await with some apprehension the results of the investigation now under way.

Chips

BY DAVID BROCK

TODAY, February 2, is the feast of Purification of Our Lady. To those who care about such things it is known as Candlemas. And in the old days it was considered the end of Christmas. Today, in the bigger shops and in the editorial offices of foresighted magazines, it is considered the beginning of next Christmas. And if Christmas is a good thing (which no wise man denies), I suppose you can't get too much of it. Pass the turkey,

Brock
Among those who don't care for Candlemas, today is known as Groundhog Day. Every prattling gabbler knows that. And so do the syopulent varlets, the forlorn snakes, the blockish grutnols, the fondling fops, the doddipol joltheads, the slushy calflollies, the codshead loobies, the jobernal goosescaps, the grout-head gnat-snappers, the noddiepeaks simplotons, the lob-dottelers, and the nimbyhammer flycatchers, and all the rest of the nit-wits described in my master Francois Rabelais' list . . . Rabelais, who knew fools best, and has been called dirty for it ever since. Fools don't like to be called fools, and can easily have you arrested for indecency if you name them.

I NDEED, I stood convicted only the other day for not suffering a fool gladly and thus offending against the plain instruction of the Bible. He was an out-size fool, and a civil servant to boot (boot is an important word here), and his task was to advise Her Majesty on various vital matters. Mistaking me for Her Majesty, he undertook to advise me, though we were merely relaxing at a cocktail party (if one can be said to relax at such feasts of wit).

I told him to buzz off, and he very properly resented this. I had put an affront upon him. So he had me locked up without further ado, and I am writing these words in prison. My cell-mate is here on a similar charge. It seems he made the bad mistake of calling a damfool a plain fool. If you have studied law, you will recall that to say a man is a fool is slander, while to call him a damfool is mere pleasantries and what the French term un facon de parler

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Fighting To Keep His Powers

By JOSEPH and STEWART ALSOP From Washington

PRESIDENT EISENHOWER must soon reassess his national leadership in no uncertain terms. If he fails to do so, he may find the real powers of decision slipping out of his hands.

There have been plenty of symptoms of this danger. Two occurred on the same day, last Tuesday. On that day, Chairman Daniel Reed of the House Ways and Means Committee, announced to the press that he would push through his 11 per cent tax cut bill come what may, adding that the House would delay passing the bill only "over my dead body."

Neither Eisenhower's Secretary of the Treasury, George Humphrey, nor any other Eisenhower official was consulted on the Reed tax bill. In fact, Reed flatly told members of his committee that he intended to get the bill passed no matter what Eisenhower, or Humphrey, or anyone else, had to say about it.

His object, he said, was to return the tax-writing prerogative from the Treasury—"to this committee, where it belongs." And when he announced his intention, he spoke in the confident knowledge that he had heavy support in his own party in the House.

On the same day, two committees of Congress reported out a bill defining the President's power to reorganize the executive branch of the government. Both committees voted sharply to reduce President Eisenhower's power in this vital respect, limiting it even more than President Truman's power was limited.

This is the power which Eisenhower needs to clean up "the mess in Washington" and to achieve substantial savings through greater government efficiency.

There are many other signs and portents of the tendency of the Congressional Republicans to take matters into their own hands, and let the new President twiddle his thumbs. Partly, this is a matter of instinct, inbred in Congressional Republicans after 20 years of

prophecy coming over me! By the pricking of my thumbs, a depression off Alaska this way comes. It is not without reason that the natives of southern Regina have a saying, which they repeat until they are all nauseated on February 2:

On Groundhog day if all be clear, Nobody'll vote us out of here.

There is a similar saying in the fine old farming town of Agincourt, Ontario, where Henry V fought one of his best battles:

If on the second of February,

Your car won't start, that's very very.

The poem ends on the adverb, which gives it a nice modern touch and entitles it to be hung in any accredited art gallery. It has also been hung in effigy.

IF ANYONE knows any good little verses about predicting the weather, I'd be glad if he'd keep them to himself and not go sending them to me. I have too many already, thank you all the same. They are a great trouble to me, and few of them are reliable, coming as they do from other lands with other weather.

If the ash be out before the oak, Then drink your port before you smoke. I mean, stuff like that is merely silly. Not that I don't pin some little faith in this old maxim:

A sunset in the morning

Is the sailor's warning.

Talking of sailors reminds me of tailors. A tailor once told me:

When the wind is in the east,

You'll need to get your trousers creased.

And I promised to remember this. I asked him, on his part, to write this on his cuff:

When the wind is in the south,

Will proverber-mongers shut their mouth?

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Let's Do More Work on the Walls and Less on the Partitions



As Our Readers See It

CONSTRUCTIVE THINKING

Just a short note of appreciation for the extracts from Dr. Peale's book on constructive thinking you have started in your paper and also for making them on front page item.

I read them with interest and I know many others will do so too. Mrs. Smiley of the Truth Centre mentioned their excellence in her talk to us.

(MRS.) MURIEL E. THORN.

2530 Windsor Road.

RECENT EMERGENCY CASE

Having worked for a period of two years at St. Joseph's and Jubilee Hospitals, I would like to state in defense of the Sister Superior Rosemary of St. Joseph's Hospital that she was quite right and quite humanitarian and knows how's that for lop-sidedness?

Asked why Reed had not consulted the Treasury leaders on his tax bill, one Reed instantly replied, "Why, it would never occur to him—it would be like trading with the enemy." Many veteran Republicans, like Reed, assume as a self-evident truth that the power to make policy will now rest with Congress—where it belongs.

What has been happening is also a result of understandable inexperience in and around the White House. The President himself, after all, has had very little practical experience of Capitol Hill politics, and very few of his advisers have had more. Congressional Republican leader Clarence Brown reportedly discussed the reorganization bill briefly with Eisenhower, and the fact that the President made no protests suggests that he was not wholly aware what was at stake.

But the real trouble was summed up by one pro-Eisenhower Senate Republican, who remarked, "There seems to be no one to pass the word—and there doesn't seem to be any word to pass." With White House policy still nebulous or wholly unformed, it was inevitable that the long-established Republican Congressional leaders should move into the existing vacuum. The great majority of these men, moreover, look to the immensely powerful Senator Robert A. Taft, and the fact that the President made no protests suggests that he was not wholly aware what was at stake.

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FRANK H. PARTRIDGE,
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BRITAIN'S TRADE

At the Empress Hotel Jan. 27, Mr. Gardner definitely stated that what he wanted to see was "reduced production of farm products to keep prices high in Canada." With a general shortage in the world of food one can judge the calibre of politician Gardner talking to Canadian farmers. Where does the consumer come in with such a policy?

He also said "Britain doesn't want our produce." But he didn't state the reasons, namely, high prices and lack of convertibility of the pound.

We are glad enough to sell her our surplus wheat.

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'AN EYE FOR AN EYE . . .'

Mr. Oldfield stated in his letter which you published on January 21, that the Lord Jesus Christ said: It shall be an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth.

The only place where Jesus mentions this is Matthew 5:38, in the Sermon on the Mount. A sermon which every child of ten should know by heart in a Christian country.

What the Lord actually said was:

Easy on the Water, Please!

We have been carefully watching the results of the findings of the liquor commission to see if any mention had been made of the fact that we have been (and still are) being sold three parts water at exorbitant prices.

If and when we get cocktail bars and liquor served in eating places what kind of a cocktail can we expect to get out of liquor already so weak that it takes about half a tumbler full to make a decent drink, and if we are to be served with a gill as of yore it is going to require many of them to make a quorum.

Are we going to go back to the days of the good old bars in which the bartenders went down to the cellar and filled all the bottles regardless of the labels, out of the same barrel? All except the gin which was usually made right there as required, by adding a couple of drops of oil of juniper to a pail of diluted alcohol. Them was the good old days!

What has become of the genuine liquor which, if you didn't follow it up with a chaser within ten seconds, down went your tonsils with it.

Seems to us on the sidelines that any reform should begin with the quality and price of the stuff offered to us to drink and the absurd method of handling it.

Soon after the first days of prohibition it became necessary for the Old Country distillers to make special bottles in order to preserve the integrity of their product in most cases with non-refillable bottles. Some of the stuff for sale now in our vendors bearing fine old names is a horrible caricature of the old original.

Are we going to sidestep the California wine question once more? That

Business? Why, business is as simple as anything. It is merely a matter of other people's money.

—Dumas the Younger.

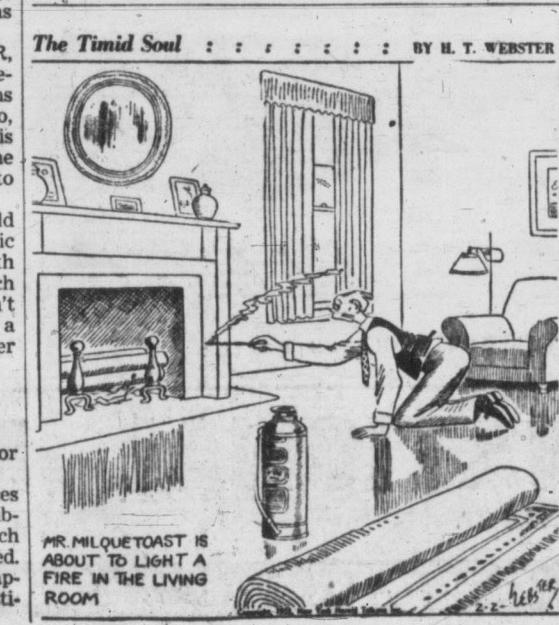
WILD LIFE

Newcomers to a Herefordshire village had it carefully explained to them that "them baint maggots in your cheese. Them be weasels."

—The Countryman.

The Timid Soul

BY H. T. WEBSTER



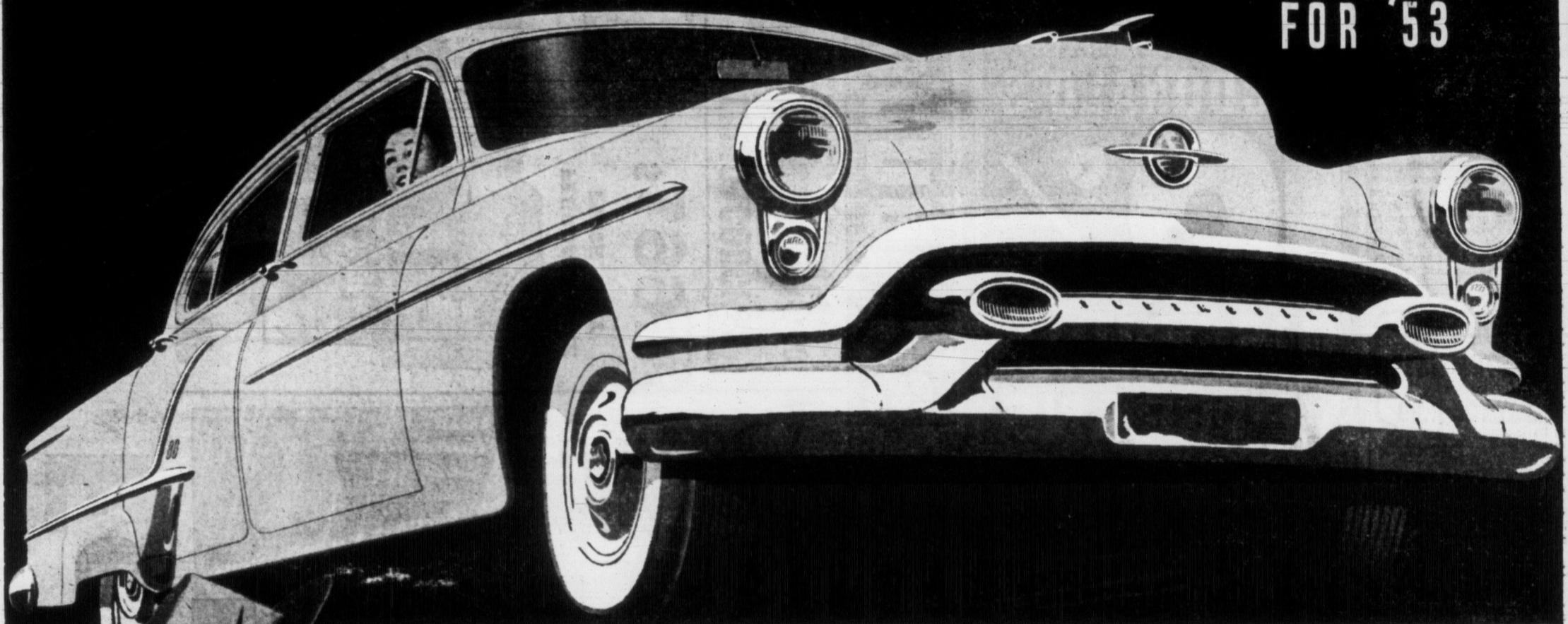
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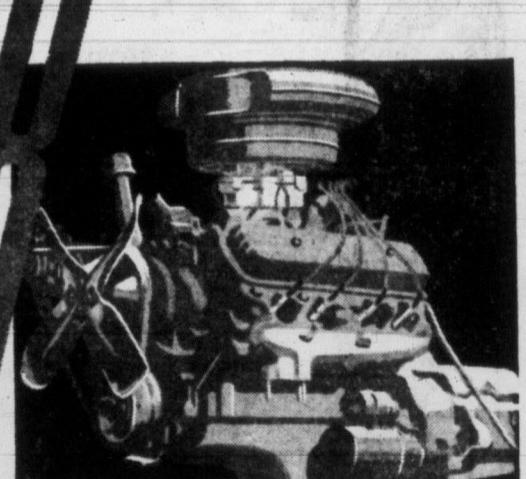
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Smaller Institutions Plan Future As Cathedral Opens Drive for Funds

Church buildings, additions and halls to cost in the neighborhood of \$150,000 are in various stages of planning in Victoria and vicinity.

Few are for execution this year, most being longer range projects.

They are in addition, however, to the already-announced plans of Christ Church Cathedral for the ultimate completion of the Cathedral at a total cost of \$750,000, and to a three-year building project at First United, for which no cost has yet been estimated.

In most cases church committees and boards are discussing ways and means of financing, locating sites and laying plans for fund-raising campaigns.

Anglican churches particularly are expected to "hold off" this year in view of the cathedral's big campaign—first section of which will be launched in March.

PLANS IN BRIEF

Here in brief are plans of various churches:

St. Matthias' Church—Propose to build new church at estimated cost of \$50,000; plan to obtain site only this year. New church will seat 250 as compared with 160-seat capacity of present building.

St. Alban's—Three-year plan to erect \$25,000 parish hall, for which \$3,000 has been raised so far; hope to start this year.

St. George the Martyr, Cadboro Bay—Committee studying possibility for completion of existing church; strictly planning this year.

St. Luke's—Building plan under discussion but extent not known.

St. Martin's-in-the-Fields—Plan to erect first unit of new parish of All Saints, a mission of St. Martin's at View Royal. Overall job will cost between \$20,000 and \$25,000. First unit will be Sunday School which will be used temporarily as a church.

St. Paul's Naval and Garrison—Hope to start new Sunday School building this year; no more effort than turning the steering wheel and pressing on the throttle. If he can afford estimate of cost, it is worth the money.

St. Michael's, Royal Oak—

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Victoria Daily Times
MONDAY, FEB. 2, 1953

ST. AIDAN'S COMPLETES CLASSROOMS

Work has been completed on St. Aidan's United Church project for 1952—construction of classrooms in the church hall.

Campaign to raise about \$8,000 for church extension. No start expected for two years.

Oak Bay United—Committee exploring ways and means of providing addition to Sunday School. Estimated cost about \$15,000. If possible hope to make a start this year.

First United—Architects working on plans for Sunday School addition, one of several projects included in the three-year building fund campaign.

Metropolitan—Plans rederection of church this summer.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian—Hope to redecorate auditorium this year.

First Baptist—Architect working on plans for new kitchen in basement of church to cost about \$2,000.

First Baptist, Elk Lake—Plans of B.C. Baptist board call for new roof; estimated cost, upwards of \$6,000.

British Industry Strives to Show World Leadership

A resurgence of enterprise and endeavor is noticeable today in Britain. Miss Beryl Foyle, Birmingham business woman, told the Victoria Lions Club last week.

The spirit of private enterprise is more alive now than it ever was, she said. And manufacturers are out to show the world once again that Britain can lead the way.

She noted, however, that industries of a small scale were the rule rather than exception there. She said 97 per cent of the manufacturing firms in the country employed less than 250 people.

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Oak Bay United Expands Sunday School

Plans for more and better accommodation for the Sunday school whose enrollment now stands at close to 350, were reported to the annual meeting of Oak Bay United Church recently.

The congregation learned that during the year all financial commitments had been met and all missionary objectives over-subscribed.

A total of \$16,000 was raised and about 25 per cent of the total went for missionary and benevolent purposes, including

temperance, Bible society, Naramata School, Burnaby Home for Girls, Indian work, Student Christian Movement.

F. G. Matkin, secretary, reviewed the work of the past year. Other reports were given by: J. H. Britton, A. R. C. Heben, G. H. Gardner, Maj. George Whalen, Mrs. K. Reilly, Mrs. A. J. Bowering, Mrs. William Stewart, Mrs. V. Bugsig and E. Patrick.

Church membership now stands at 513 with a "fine ad-

dition" to the total made during 1952, the meeting learned.

Elected to the board of stewards for three years were: Mrs. F. G. Matkin with J. L. Le Huet, A. J. Bowering and J. Archer.

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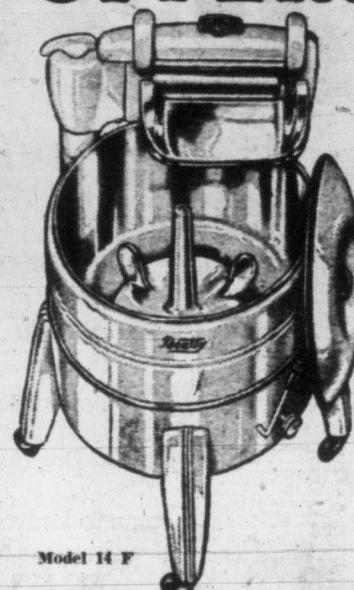
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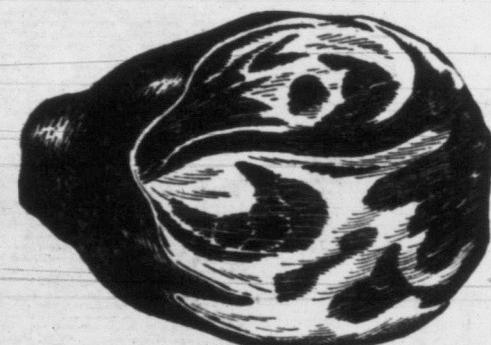
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Short Ribs Beef	Per braining, lb.	39c	Blade Chuck Roast Beef	59c
Plate and Brisket Beef	lb.	25c	Lamb Frontquarter	45c
Pork Sausage	Skinless Economy, 12-oz. pkg.	36c	Breast of Lamb	35c
Braunschweiger	Swift's Premium, each	39c	Loin of Pork	59c
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Blended Juice	Blend o' Gold, Sweet, 20-oz. can	2 for 27c	12 for \$1.59	
Pineapple Juice	Libby's Hawaiian, 48-oz. can	32c	6 for \$1.89	
Tomato Juice	Sunny Dawn, Fancy, 48-oz. can	32c	6 for \$1.89	
Prune Plums	Monica, Choice, 15-oz. can	2 for 25c	12 for \$1.45	24 cans \$2.85
Lima Beans	Taste Tells, Choice, 15-oz. can	2 for 29c	12 for \$1.69	
Green Beans	Gardenside, Standard, Cut, 15-oz. can	2 for 27c	12 for \$1.59	24 cans \$3.12
Ungraded Peas	Gardenside, Standard, 15-oz. can	2 for 25c	12 for \$1.45	24 cans \$2.85
Pumpkin	Royal City, Fancy, 28-oz. can	21c	6 for \$1.22	
Tomatoes	Vanity Fair, Choice, 20-oz. can	22c	12 for \$2.59	Case of 24 cans \$5.09
Tomato Soup	Aylmer, 10-oz. can	2 for 23c	12 for \$1.35	48 cans \$5.33
Corned Beef	Loaf, Boston, 12-oz. can	29c	12 for \$3.42	
Corned Beef Dinner	Puritan, 15-oz. can	29c	12 for \$3.39	
Steak and Vegetables	Maconachie's, 15-oz. can	29c	12 for \$3.39	
Potted Meats	Burns', 3 1/4-oz. can	11c	12 for \$1.29	
Spaghetti	Libby's, Cooked, .15-oz. can	2 for 31c	12 for \$1.82	
Chicken Haddie	Sea-Lect, 14-oz. can	25c	6 for \$1.45	
Salmon	Court Fancy, Sockeye, 7 1/2-oz. can	36c	6 for \$2.05	
Sardines	Brunswick, 3 1/4-oz. can	3 for 23c	12 for 89c	
Tuna Flakes	Clover Leaf, Fancy, Light, 6-oz. can	28c	12 for \$3.33	
Jelly Powders	Empress, Assorted Flavors, 3 1/4-oz. pkg	6 for 45c	12 for 89c	
Dog and Cat Foods	Dr. Ballard's, 15-oz. can	2 for 25c	12 for \$1.42	

Apple Sauce	Lakewood, Fancy, 15-oz. cans	6 for 95c	Skylark Enriched	
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Coho Salmon	Moonglow, Fancy, 7 1/4-oz. cans	6 for \$1.45		
Pink Salmon	Todd's, Fancy, 15-oz. can	6 for \$2.29		
Cake Mixes	Littlefinger, Assorted, 15-oz. package	27c		
Pancake Flour	Aunt Jemima, Plain or Buckwheat, 3 1/2-lb. bag	55c		
Pastry Flour	The Time, 5-lb. bag	36c		
Gooseberry Jam	Empress, Pure, 24-fl. oz. can	52c		
Peach Jam	Empress, Pure, 24-fl. oz. can	49c		
Greengage Jam	Empress, Pure, 24-fl. oz. can	38c		
Apricot Jam	Empress, Pure, 16-oz. "Ice-box" jar	85c		
Peanut Butter	Beverly, 48-oz. can	38c		
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Shelled Brazils	Martin's, Celio bag	28c		
Guest Tea	An economical blend, 16-oz. pkg	59c		
Welch's Candy	Assorted, 8-oz. Celio bag	25c		
Date-Walnut Cake	Mrs. Willman's, 2-lb. 2-oz. tin	69c		
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Ceylons	I.B.C. Chocolate or Carmel, pkg.	27¢	Mixed Pickles	Primrose, Sweet, 16-oz. jar	31¢
Frozen Strawberries	Aymer, 16-oz. pkg.	43¢	Tomato Catsup	Aymer, 11-oz. bottle	22¢
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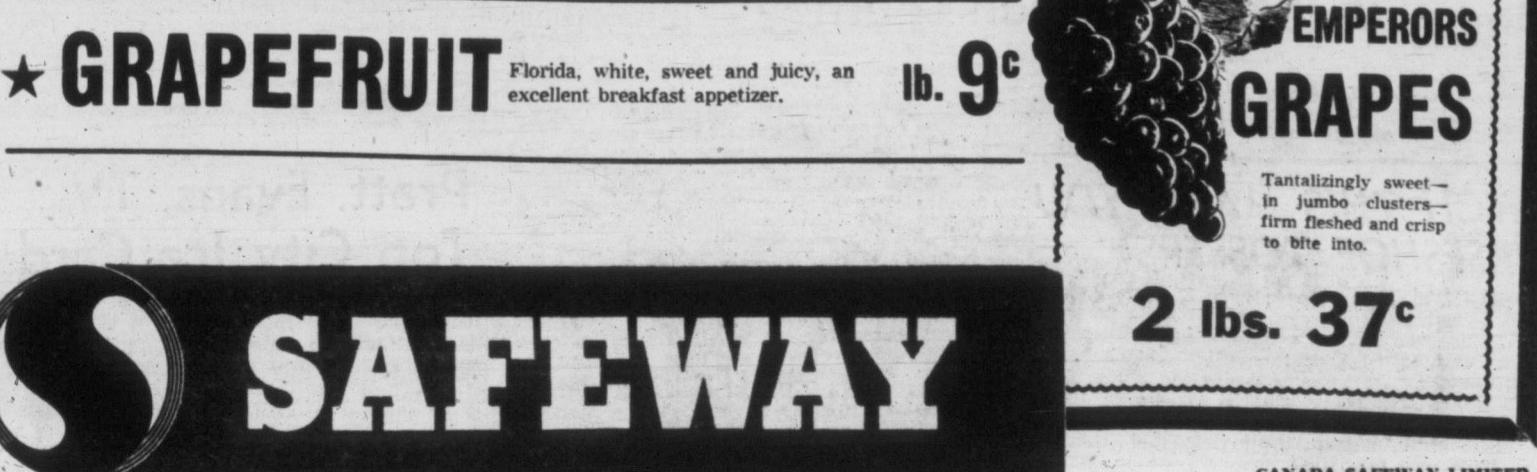
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Bigelow and Redford bounced back to snare the 12th, 13th and 14th and the challengers won the 15th. The 16th and 17th were halved, but Redford and Bigelow cemented the victory by winning the 18th.

BOMBERS EXTEND STREAK

Stamps Take Two Beatings

About the only thing Calgary Stampeders had to be thankful for after last week's disastrous trip to the West Coast was that it was their last of the Western Hockey League season.

Stamps salvaged only one win and a tie in five games and bowed out in a most unceremonious fashion. Their lanky goalie, Phil Hughes, watched no less than 19 goals whistle by him in the final two games.

Tacoma Rockets pummeled them 10-1 Saturday while Sascatoon kept pace with Vancouver with a hard-earned 6-5 win over Edmonton Flyers. Canucks whopped New Westminster 10-2.

Ray Barry was the only Stampeder able to get the puck past goalie Doug Stevenson in the game at Tacoma. He turned the trick at the 16.55 mark of the second period.

Wayne Brown was the big gun in the Rocket attack as he picked up his first hat-trick of the season. Doc Halderman scored twice and Doug Adam, Barlon Bradley, Mark Marques, Buck Jones and Ted O'Connor completed the scoring for Tacoma.

NHL RECORD

The win marked Bombers 17th straight game without a defeat on home ice, within two games of the league record.

Their scoring was divided among Lorne Nadeau, Doug Macauley and Rudy Filion, each with two, and Cal Stearns, Joe Bell and Lloyd Asby with singletons.

Calgary's lone tally came on a screen shot by Joe Levandoski in their second period.

Vancouver's victory over Royals was its second in as many nights. Canucks trimmed their arch-rivals 3-1 Friday.

WHL Leaders

Leading scorers follow:

	G	A	Pts
Kalies, Saskatoon	23	28	51
Rebel, Edmonton	23	28	51
Stastna, Edmonton	21	22	43
McLeod, Saskatoon	22	30	52
Marquess, Victoria	15	36	51
Asby, Calgary	19	22	41
Dasher, Victoria	16	32	48
Adam, Tacoma	24	48	72
Popein, Vancouver	18	30	48

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First Period—Seattle, Stearns (Home); Nadeau, 1; 22. Second Period—Seattle, Nadeau, 1; 23. Third Period—Seattle, Stearns (Home); Macauley (Manson, Arnett), 19; 45. Total—Seattle, 5; 53. Total—Calgary, 1; 23. Total—Seattle, 5; 53. Total—Calgary, 1; 23.

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SEATTLE 5, TACOMA 1
First Period—Seattle, Stearns (Home); Nadeau, 1; 22. Second Period—Seattle, Stearns (Home); Nadeau, 1; 22. Total—Seattle, Stearns (Home); Nadeau, 1; 22. Total—Tacoma, 1; 15.

TACOMA 1, VICTORIA 1
First Period—Tacoma, Brown (Wall, Halderman), 11; 20. Second Period—Tacoma, Adam, 16; 21. Total—Tacoma, Halderman (Johnston, Brown, Penalties), 1; 16. Total—Victoria, 1; 17.

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Wests Take Lead

Blank Heaneys On Turner's Goal

Victoria West took over the lead in the Victoria and District Football Association Sunday by edging Heaneys 1-0 at Lower Beacon Hill Park.

Despite the inclement weather, a number of rabid fans watched the game that was fast and well-played throughout.

Wests displayed the idle Adanas to move one point ahead of the former Legion crew.

TURNER SCORES

Whitney Turner notched the only marker at the 24-minute mark of the first half when he raced in to take a pass from George Brown and slipped it past Heaneys' twine-tender, Gordon Harvey.

Wests had the advantage of the slope and a slight wind in the first half.

Heaneys took advantage of the wind and slope in the second half to keep Wests bottled up in their own zone, and forced a number of corner kicks.

Heaneys had several excellent scoring opportunities in the waning minutes but lack of finish around the net and West goalie Norm Richards, cheated them time after time.

The scheduled encounter between Adanas and Esquimalt Saturday was postponed because of rain.

Civil Service will tangle with tail-end Canadian Scottish Saturday on the lower Beacon Hill pitch while Wests could increase their lead Sunday when they meet Esquimalt at either Heywood or lower Beacon Hill Park.

STANDINGS

	W	L	T	GP	GA	Pts.
Victoria West	5	6	5	27	12	15
Adanas	4	2	3	23	18	11
Civil Service	3	2	5	16	18	11
Esquimalt	1	1	1	10	11	11
Canadian Scottish	0	6	3	18	22	9

Upset by City

Victoria United was rained out of another Coast Soccer League game Saturday but still called it a successful week-end.

Vancouver City pulled a mild upset when they downed North Shore United 3-1 in New Westminster to prevent North Shore from pulling away in the tight league race.

North Shore remained deadlocked with New Westminster Royals for first place while United is still two points behind the co-leaders.

SKI WHIZ

By GEE

City Skiers Plan Increased Activity

The weatherman has at last delivered sufficient of that white stuff, so beloved by skiers to the South Vancouver Island mountains, and local plank-riders, members of the Victoria Sno-birds Ski Club plan regular week-end trips to their club cabin on the slopes of Mount Brenton, and Sunday trips to the Renfrew Road and Mount Brenton ski areas.

Reports from a recent trip to the Mount Brenton ski cabin indicate good conditions for this week, for there was a hard-packed four-foot base and almost continuous snow for the past 10 days.

A large group have been up to the Forbidden Plateau the last two week-ends skiing with the Comox District Mountain Engineering Club group, including such well-known Plateau skiers as Herb Bradley, Angus Strachan, Syd Williams, and many more.

The Victoria trippers included Secretary Maureen McCabe, Barbara Davies, Germaine Reney, Stu McLeod, Toni Lamprecht, Archie Gillies, Erwin Egger, Floyd Rowe and Kurt Lucas—they report excellent skiing, although they missed the Mount Brenton Ski Lodge hot lunches.

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ADAMS TO KNOW FATE OF 'INVASION' TUESDAY

DETROIT (AP)—President Clarence Campbell of the National Hockey League likely will rule Tuesday in the case of Detroit's general manager, Jack Adams, who is accused of invading the referees' dressing room to argue about officiating here Jan. 18.

Campbell conducted a hearing Saturday, calling in referee Red Storey, who claimed Adams waylaid him en route to the dressing room and then invaded it to protest further.

Wings Regain Lead From Habs

Jolly Jack Adams may not be so jolly these days when contemplating National Hockey League action over his recent invasion of referee Red Storey's dressing room.

NHL SUMMARIES

DETROIT 5, TORONTO 1

First Period—1. Detroit, Howe (Kelly, Hay), 5:24; 2. Detroit, Delvecchio (Howe, Lindsay), 6:09; 3. Toronto, Smith (Thomson, Lach), 11:45; 4. Detroit, Penner (Linton, Horner), 13:45; 5. Detroit, Lach (Linton, Lewicki), 13:56; Armstrong 14:00; Lindsay 14:58.

Saves—Sawchuk 5, Lumley 1. Penalties—Second Period—1. Detroit, Howe (Kellie, Linton), 11:45; 2. Detroit, Delvecchio (Howe, Lindsay), 12:04. Penalties—Third Period—1. Detroit, Penner (Linton, Horner), 12:06; Hannigan 17:06; Welt 19:45.

Third Period—No scoring. Penalties—Wilson 2:28; Howe 7:16; Goldham 9:00; Sawchuk 11; Lumley 8.

BOSTON 4, MONTREAL 3

First Period—1. Montreal, Manick (Gauthier, Gauthier), 11:46; Manick (Gauthier, Gauthier), 11:46.

Penalties—Godfrey 12:30.

Second Period—3. Montreal, Lemire (Lach, Harvey), 1:05; 4. Boston, Labine (Thomson, Lach), 1:30; 5. Montreal, Sandford (MacNeil, Quackenbush), 19:39.

Penalties—Penner 19:39; Gamble 5:28.

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MONTREAL 6, TORONTO 4

First Period—1. Detroit, Lewis 8:37.

Penalties—Penner 10:37.

Second Period—No scoring. Penalties—Wilson, Welsch 8:36; Penner 10:57.

Third Period—1. Detroit, Howe (Linton, Lach), 11:45.

Penalties—Penner 11:45.

Fourth Period—No scoring. Penalties—Wilson 12:06; Howe 12:06; Welsch 12:06.

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MONDAY, FEB. 2, 1953

SYMBOLISM IN TAPESTRIES

Bette Kerkham Exhibit
Shows Wit, Originality

By AUDREY ST. D. JOHNSON and forceful. I was particularly attracted to the apt characterization of "Jungle Patterns": the "bees-eye" view of a chocolate-and-cream striped tulip was so cunningly arranged within the picture-frame, so subtly formalized, emphasizing and minimizing in exactly the right degree.

In the abstract, Mrs. Kerkham is motivated by musical experience. Here again we sense the strong personality, the clear-cut conviction. The famous Don Cossack song, "Monotonously Rings the Little Bell," has inspired a pleasing abstraction in which color flows outward from a dark core as sound flows outward from the moment of impact.

Her interpretations are intensely personal and imaginative. They have a freshness, often a vividness which makes one accept them with pleasure, even when not in entire agreement.

The scale of these studies is much enlarged from the model and the effect is therefore bold

RCN Breaks With Tradition; Makes Engineer Captain

HALIFAX (CP)—An engineering officer became a ship's captain for the first time in year history at the commissioning Saturday of the 10,000-ton Technical training ship Cape Breton.

Cmdr. E. N. Clarke of Vancouver took command of the former Liberty ship, built for the Royal Navy as the Flamborough Mariner in a Vancouver shipyard in 1944. It has enough workshops to train 150 men.

Gradually however, Harvey made his presence felt. At first, he seemed a rather small and insignificant creature. By the end of the week, however, he had grown in the minds of all concerned to the required height of six feet.

With Harvey on stage tonight will be Jack Ammon, in the principal role as Elwood P. Dowd; Vivienne Chadwick, Robert Tabor and Dewey Harless. Harless and Ian Thorne share the directing responsibilities.

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Junior Hockey 8:30-10:00 a.m.
V.P.F.C. 11:00-1:00 p.m.
Climbing Skating 3:00-5:00 p.m.
V.P.F.C. 5:00-7:00 p.m.
Olympic Skating 8:00-10:00 p.m.

MONDAY, FEB. 2
7:00, 8:30 a.m.
Cougar Practice 1:30-2:30 p.m.
Beginners 3:30-5:30 p.m.
Public Relations 7:00 p.m.
Commercial Games 7:30 p.m.

V.P.F.C. 7:00, 8:30 a.m.
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Newsman See Rift

Greek newspapers claim a disagreement has developed between Great Britain's Admiral Mountbatten, left, and U.S. Admiral Carney, who share command of the NATO naval forces in the Mediterranean. Mountbatten, according to newspaper reports, arrived unexpectedly in Athens to attend a conference between Carney and Greek authorities, and, though Carney denied any dissension between them, Greek newspapers insist that Mountbatten's visit was not welcome.

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

VICTORIA'S SUNSHINE RECORD TO DATE, 1953— 31.3 HOURS

SYNOPSIS: Mild, rainy weather continues to be the weather fare for the coast as successive disturbances continue to move in from the ocean. Mild weather is being enjoyed in the interior, too, where Arctic air now covers only the far northern section of the province.

This pattern shows few signs of change, although there may be occasional sunny periods on the coast.

DOMINION WEATHER PUBLIC OFFICE 9 A.M. FORECASTS

VICTORIA: Cloudy and mild. Rain showers today and Tuesday. Wind southerly 15. Low-high at Victoria, 42 and 50.

VANCOUVER: Cloudy and mild with showers today and Tuesday. Wind southerly. Low-high at Vancouver air port, 42 and 50.

GEORGIA STRAIT: Cloudy and mild. Showers this morning. Less frequent showers Tuesday. Sun in periods this afternoon. Wind southwesterly 15. Low-high at Nanaimo, 42 and 48.

WEST COAST: Cloudy and mild with showers. Wind southwesterly 15. Wind southerly 20, frequently 30. Low-high at Estevan, 42 and 48.

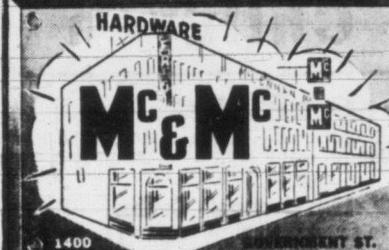
TEMPERATURES

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
Montreal	—	4	.36
Toronto	—	5	.30
Quebec	—	4	.25
North Bay	—	5	.20
Port Arthur	—	10	.24
Kensington	—	10	.24
Winnipeg	—	4	.43
Brampton	—	17	.20
The Pas	—	6	.08
Regina	—	8	.01
Saskatoon	—	8	.01
Prince Albert	0	4	.16
North Battleford	—	3	.01
Swift Current	—	25	.01
Medicine Hat	19	37	.01
Lethbridge	23	39	.01
Calgary	23	39	.01
Kamloops	38	51	.01
Penetanguishene	46	47	.12
Vancouver	44	48	.12
VICTORIA	43	47	.07
Kimberley	24	44	.04
Creston Valley	24	44	.04
Prince Rupert	38	43	.39
Prince George	32	40	.01
Port St. John	32	40	.01
Seattle	42	47	.16
Portland	44	53	.03
Chicago	14	20	.03
Los Angeles	48	73	.01
New York	15	25	.01
Spokane	36	43	.20
Whitehorse	—	1	.01
Ottawa	—	10	.01
New Westminster	47	50	.47

TIDES AT VICTORIA (Pacific Standard Time)

TIME	H.L.	M.	H.H.	TIME	H.L.	M.	H.H.
1	6.13	8.71	0.42	7.6	15.02	8.4	22.35
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Island Digest

LANGFORD — Committee in charge of the Langford fall fair this year will be Arthur Kitely, chairman, assisted by Mrs. E. Thow, Nels Smith, G. Klepp, K. Buxton, Al Knight, R. Carr, A. Yates, Mrs. E. Baker, Mrs. D. McLeod, and Miss L. M. A. Savoy.

LANGFORD — Collection boxes made by pupils of Belmont High School will be placed in stores as soon as possible for donations toward construction of a community building. Ron Limer reported at the regular meeting of Langford Community Club.

DUNCAN — Ald. R. K. Cairns was re-elected president of Duncan centre, St. John Ambulance Association, at the annual meeting Sunday at the City Hall.

J. W. W. Smith was re-elected secretary, and committee members include Major J. C. Wragg, Ald. J. F. LeQuenne, Col. T. V. Sandy-Wunsch, John Peters, Cecil Carr, Alan MacInnes, V. Brookbank and W. H. Savage.

DUNCAN — An off-the-record discussion by Cowichan and Gulf Islands zone, Canadian Legion, here on Friday is reported to have dealt with the possible enlargement of some Legion branch premises if the serving of food by all liquor licensees becomes mandatory.

Col. A. G. B. Lewis, Duncan, was re-elected zone commander for a two-year term.

SOOKE — A total of 16½ inches of rain fell in Sooke during January, according to Andre Robillard, weather observer. Normal average for 12 months is 50 inches.

NANAIMO — With two bridges providing the only convenient access to the northern section of the city, Brechin

Ratpayers' Association decided to ask the city for an alternate plan in view of a fire protection problem.

Church and Bar Society Pillars, McKelvie Recalls

Pillars which supported the community in the good old days were "church, barbershop, livery stable and the bar-room," according to B. A. McKelvie, well-known newspaperman and historian.

Addressing the sixth anniversary dinner party of Victoria West Community Centre last week, Mr. McKelvie waxed enthusiastic over the days when men were men with mustaches and beards.

"With mustaches that would have put a walrus to shame the men were masters of the home—until the ladies entered into the vile alliance with the makers of the safety razor blade," said Mr. McKelvie.

GRAND PRIX WINNER

BENOS AIRES (AP)—Giuseppe Farina of Italy whipped around the course at an average speed of 72 miles an hour Sunday to win the Grand Prix automobile road race.

REVOLVER SHOOT

Capitol City Revolver Club, RCMP and Rangers will meet in a match revolver shoot at the Armories Tuesday night at 8.

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Island Greyhound Breeds Organize

A special committee of the Vancouver Island Greyhound Breeders' Association has been named to gather information about greyhound racing and to frame a constitution for the organization.

The committee will be headed by Harry Thwaites, association chairman.

The meeting was attended by 23 greyhound racing enthusiasts.

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Railroad Veteran Retires

Forty-two years of railroading ended Saturday for H. "Ross" Wilkinson, left, division engineer for Canadian National Railways on Vancouver Island. His retirement was honored at Terry's Banquet Room by 75 CNR co-workers from here and the mainland. R. A. Bell, transportation assistant, CNR, Victoria, here makes presentation of a cheque. Mr. Wilkinson started railroading in 1911, served in France in First World War with railroad troops, joined the CNR in 1919, has been here since 1945.

Stubborn Blaze Confined By Saanich Fire-Fighters

About \$2,000 damage was done in a basement fire in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Malerby, Lily Avenue, Saturday night.

Saanich firemen were on the job for three hours. The blaze destroyed a heating unit and articles in storage. It was confined to the basement but considerable smoke damage was done to upstairs rooms.

Cause of the fire has not

been determined. The Malerbys, their four children and a visitor were in the house when the fire broke out at 6:30 p.m.

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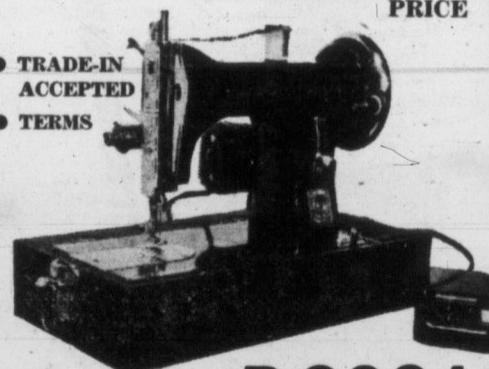
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New Vitamins Won't Alter Bread Taste

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The regulation has been compulsory in Newfoundland since 1944.

The new bread will be enriched with riboflavin, niacin, thiamine and iron. Color and taste will be unchanged.

Victoria To Nominate Restaurateur of Year

Victoria membership of the Canadian Restaurant Association this month will poll its numbers to find a candidate for "The Restaurateur of the Year."

From the 23 candidates named by the association district branches across Canada, one will be selected by ballot at the annual convention in Toronto, March 23, 24 and 25. Philip Chan, Panama Cafe, 1407 Government Street, is president of the Victoria branch.

Victorian Heads Provincial Vets

T. R. Wheadon of Victoria was elected president of the provincial command, Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans meeting here Saturday.

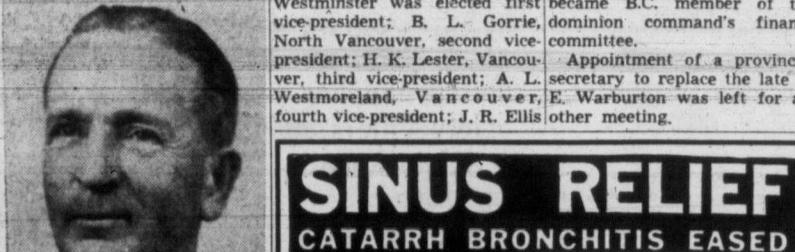
He succeeds J. R. Ellis of Vancouver.

H. R. McGivern of New Westminster was elected first vice-president; B. L. Gorrie, North Vancouver, second vice-president; H. K. Lester, Vancouver, third vice-president; A. L. Westmoreland, Vancouver, fourth vice-president; J. R. Ellis

and S. V. Lloyd, both of Vancouver, became dominion directors. S. Hunter was named as an alternate.

Charles C. Goater of Victoria became B.C. member of the dominion command's finance committee.

Appointment of a provincial secretary to replace the late H. E. Warburton was left for another meeting.



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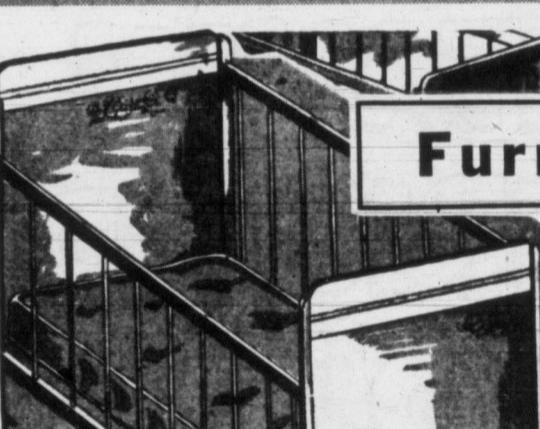
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BETWEEN TIMES

By MONTE ROBERTS

I understand that this is groundhog day, and that if the groundhog sees his shadow when he emerges from his burrow, we will have six more weeks of winter.

If the groundhog sees his shadow in Victoria, it will be because he is standing under a street light.

If the sun were to unexpectedly peek out from behind the overcast, the population of this city would believe it had seen a flying saucer.

During the month of January, Vancouver and Victoria put together failed to muster enough sunshine to burn the tip of a gnat's nose.

But, on the other hand, I don't recall anyone in these parts perishing in a snowdrift while lost in a blizzard.

So I hasten to add—I'm not really complaining, Mr. Weatherman.

Damp and dull—though they were, the closing days of January had a spring-like quality about them. So much so that My Favorite Wife tackled a little spring cleaning over the week-end, and somehow, I got involved.

Not seriously, but enough to have some idea of what women go through during housecleaning.

I can now understand the popularity of the pony-tail hair-do.

If women have to work like horses, they may as well look like them.

Admirers of Punch will be distressed to hear of his cowardly behavior during the cleaning crusade.

I decided it would be a good idea to give him a mild spring cleaning, too, so attempted to run the vacuum cleaner over him.

I switched on the machine and called him over. He approached, stiff-legged and suspicious, to within a foot of the end of the machine.

I extended the attachment toward him and, as it touched his fur, he let out a squeal—and landed into My Favorite Wife's lap, where he cowered and whimpered.

(As he weighs about as much as she does, you can see that My Favorite Wife was not too pleased by the episode.)

Punch is threatening to report me to the SPCA, but I can assure you, the only thing hurt was his dignity.

Miss Alicia Hart, who writes on beauty care, has some very good advice in the week-end paper.

It was addressed primarily to the ladies, but it deserves wider circulation.

"When you catch a glimpse of yourself in the mirror, are your lips relaxed, soft and appealing . . . or are they tight, tense, and turned down at the corners?"

"Try to keep your lip corners turned up all the time, even in repose . . . they best way to train your lips to stay put at the corners is to find things to smile and laugh about as often as you can during the day."

(I am in complete agreement. And if, in your search for things to smile and laugh about, you have a few left over, Between Times can surely use them.)

But let Miss Hart come to the point:

"Put a mirror near your telephone and the next time you are having a conversation, watch the lower part of your face."

This appeals to me as an exceptionally wonderful idea. I am going to urge our publisher to supply a mirror as standard equipment with each telephone in the office here.

It will do us a world of good to see us as others hear us.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

Ten members of the White Cane Club here will begin a course in public speaking Friday. The eight-week course is sponsored by the CNIB-White Cane Recreation Association and has been prepared by the International Institute of Volunteer Instructors, all graduates of the course, are Frank Paulding, Ronald Jeune, Dan Parfitt and Stan Kendall. Lectures will be given in the CNIB auditorium.

City police reported three cases of car-prowling during the week-end.

Gasoline was syphoned from a car owned by P. F. Robertson, Shawinigan Lake. J. Turner, 1152 Yates, told police a flashlight was stolen from his car. A thief stole an empty wallet from the car of Eugene O'Neill, 1303 Yates.

Plans for the 1954 jubilee of the British and Foreign Bible Society will be discussed at the annual society rally in First Baptist Church, Quadra Street, tonight at 8.

Maj. T. Elwood of the Salvation Army, will be guest speaker and Rev. T. H. McAlister, chairman. A film, "Bible on the Table," will be shown.

Badly gashed after being struck in the face with a two-by-four-inch piece of lumber, Low Chew, 1629 Government, was treated at Jubilee Hospital Sunday night.

He reported he was in a fight with a man he identified as Why Gun and a second man known to him only as Dave.

Eight stitches were required to close a gash in his lower face and two more for a wound over the right eye.

Alexander Pop, Box 2078 Arbutus Road, was remanded to Thursday afternoon when he appeared at a special sitting of Saanich police court today charged with driving a car Saturday night while his ability was impaired by alcohol.

Pop was arrested following an accident on Gordon Head Road. He was released on \$250 bail.

Police said a car Pop was driving left the road and crashed into a thickly wooded area. About \$500 damage was done to the car.

Pop is also charged with failing to have a current year's driver's license.

City police admitted a cautious "we are making some progress" in their investigation into last Monday night's hit-and-run accident in which Miss Pamela Winslow, 1044 Craigdarroch, was seriously injured.

Police are seeking a taxi and driver involved in the Yates-Camson collision and are hoping that scientific tests will aid them in solving the case.

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EX-FIANCÉ APPEALING CASH AWARD

Car's Sea Plunge Basis of Suit

An appeal by George Spencer Elliott, 26-year-old Vancouver construction man, against \$7,759 judgment passed against him by Mr. Justice Norman Whittaker in B.C. Supreme Court, last July, 1952, came before B.C. Court of Appeal today.

The judgment against Elliott was made in favor of Eileen Patricia Eager, 22, his former fiancée, to compensate her for injuries she received on Sept. 15, 1950, when Elliott's car, in which she had been riding, plunged over the end of a wharf into Vancouver harbor.

Elliott was charged with attempted murder as the result of the incident but was acquitted in the criminal court in which he was tried.

In his judgment passed after hearing civil proceedings initiated by the incident, Mr. Justice Whittaker said "I am reluctantly compelled to the conclusion that the defendant (Elliott) intended to kill himself and the plaintiff (Miss Eager)."

CONCLUSIONS DISCUSSED

The different conclusions reached by the criminal court and Mr. Justice Whittaker were discussed at length in court of appeal today.

It was because, Mr. Justice Whittaker believed Elliott had criminal intent that he released Ruby General Insurance Co. Ltd. from any responsibility in connection with the incident.

Elliott's defense was that he went over the wharf by accident.

Miss Eager claimed the wharf incident came a few hours after Elliott had threatened to drive off a wharf to commit suicide.

Evidence at the trial showed that Miss Eager had, on the night in question, broken off her engagement to Elliott.

DID NOT SLOW

She testified she had asked Elliott to drive her home but became alarmed when he drove onto a wharf and did not slow down. She jumped out of the car just before it plummets off the end. She fell to a float and sustained broken bones and other injuries. Elliott went down with the car but swam out an open window and was rescued by a Vancouver officer who dove into the water to save him.

Elliott's story was that he was just looking for a quiet place to park so that he could talk over the broken engagement. He said his mistake put his foot on the accelerator instead of the brake, when he noticed Miss Eager attempting to get out of the car while it was in motion.

The city health department will stage an "open house" Tuesday from 2:30 to 4:30 and from 7:30 to 9 at the Health and Welfare Centre, 1947 Cook Street. The open house has been arranged in connection with National Health Week.

January Damp, Dismal Dud; Weather Record Proves It

Weather Record Proves It

A total of 11.53 inches of snow and rain fell here in January to put the month in second place behind the all-time wettest January of 1935, when 13.28 inches were recorded.

Normal precipitation for the month is 4.25 inches.

Rain was recorded on 27 days, to equal the "rainy day" record set in 1914.

A long-standing January low sunshine record fell when only 31.2 hours were recorded. Previous minimum was 35.1, also



Shaman Foils Groundhogs' Strike

When groundhogs broke tradition today by striking, residents turned to native lore for word on coming of spring. Indian shaman predicted early arrival after donning "rain-scare-away" equipment and speaking to clouds above.

GROUNDHOG NOT TALKING

Wise Little Shadow Stays Out of Rain

An unprecedented strike by ground hogs today upset the whole future of Canadian agriculture and industry, whose leaders have come to rely on the little animals' weather predictions to govern their production policies each year.

According to tradition, the ground hog pops from his burrow for the first time each year on Feb. 2. If he sees his shadow, back he goes for six weeks to wait for a late spring.

If he does not see his shadow, he stays above ground because he knows an early spring is on its way. Victoria's ground hog, interviewed far underground, said the strike today is the result of years of dissatisfaction and months of negotiation.

At 11 a.m. his telephone rang, and a one-sided conversation took place.

"That's it for this year," he said. "National headquarters said last-minute attempts to settle the strike failed, and that all locals in the U.S.A. are out in sympathy with us. Now beat it and let me sleep."

The ground hog shown himself, he wouldn't see his shadow in Victoria.

It would appear an early spring is in store . . .

NO LICENSE CHANGE

Mr. Carr said there is no intention of relaxing or changing present licensing regulations—primary producers, producer-distributors, and milk dealers would continue to be required to obtain licenses from the board.

Regulations, he said, would be introduced which would require all milk dealers to establish financial responsibility which would ensure payment for all milk received from primary producers.

Other regulations governing payments to primary producers may also be necessary and "these will be worked out as the board proceeds with its work," Mr. Carr concluded.

Alberta Delegates See Gagliardi on Toll Road Scheme

An Alberta delegation, headed by Edmonton Mayor William Hawrelak, met Public Works Minister P. A. Gagliardi this afternoon to discuss the proposed toll road on the B.C. portion of the Yellowhead Highway.

The Yellowhead is a northern route from Winnipeg through Saskatoon, Edmonton and the Yellowhead Pass to Vancouver.

Major Hawrelak is president of the Trans-Canada Highway System Association, Yellowhead Route.

"The association feels it should see where it can assist the B.C. government in connection with a toll road," the mayor said.

Crescent Comes Home For Face-Lifting Job

BY PETE LOUDON

A familiar west coast figure came home today after nearly four years' absence.

She is HMC destroyer Crescent here for a \$5,000.00 face-lifting operation.

In appearance, the ship is as deadly efficient as any of the trim grey ladies that regularly flirt through west coast waters. But ships age fast.

The modern submarine presents a challenge that must be met by constant improvement in our fleet. Meeting that challenge in Crescent means the largest job of its kind ever undertaken by a Canadian naval dockyard.

MODERN EQUIPMENT

Her conversion to a destroyer-escort vessel will see her outfitted with all the most modern anti-submarine devices and fitted to do battle with the latest types of submarines. Her 1,710 tons will be lightened by the replacement of her present superstructure with one of aluminum. Her silhouette will be higher and quite unlike any previous destroyer design except for HMCS Algonquin, whom she will closely resemble.

SIGNIFICANT SNAP?

Her decommissioning period, traditionally one and a half times her 367-foot length, snapped in the brisk breeze as Crescent entered dockyard waters at 11:08 a.m. The broken ribbon may signify a lengthy break in her service, but there is no break for her officers and men.

Since Jan. 9, when they left Halifax, they have had a lazy day or two at Kingston, Jamaica, Balboa-on-the Panama Canal.

Court of revision on assessments closed Friday. Eighty-one properties are presented in 64 appeals.

Vancouver court of revision this year closed its list with 1,025 appeals.

AGE OF GREATNESS

(Coronation Strip on Page 21)

Milk Price Control May End in Spring

Hint of Provincial Action Brings Prospect of Lower Retail Prices

Removal of milk price controls above the producer level, possibly resulting in lower retail prices, may be ordered by the provincial government in the late spring.

This was indicated today in an announcement by Milk Board chairman E. C. Carr, who said the board is considering removing controls beyond the producer level, but that changes couldn't be instituted before May 1.

He explained that many administrative problems are involved in such a change, and it "might be some time before all necessary changes in present regulations could be thoroughly analyzed and new orders made effective."

Agricultural Minister Kenneth Kierman would not comment.

NO SESSION ACTION

Mr. Carr's announcement also ruled out the possibility that action on the long-mooted session would come at the coming session of the legislature.

The announcement came soon after Vancouver Island and lower mainland producers and distributors opposed removal of these controls in an interview with the cabinet. A delegation last Friday said such action would result in lower retail milk prices, thereby harming them financially.

But the government appears to be keeping out of the politically hot issue, although it must have approved Mr. Carr's announcement.

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Pepper said the department felt the sentence was too light, and added he had not approved reduction of the charge.

The appeal order means that Ontario provincial police will have to wait until the case is finally disposed of before they can transfer Seguin to stand trial on the eastern murder charge.

Turner Re-Elected Main Opposition Whip for Session

Arthur Turner, MLA for Vancouver East, was re-elected CCF whip at a pre-session CCF caucus in Victoria over the weekend.

Randolph Harding, Kaslo-Slocan, was elected chairman of the party caucus. Ernest E. Winch, Burnaby MLA, was re-elected deputy house leader.

CCF leader Harold Winch said the caucus had decided on its members for the special legislative committees on Battle Lake and redistribution, but these would not be announced until Premier Bennett announced the committees in the House.

Sailor Asks Trial In Higher Court

Frederick William Olkovich, young naval rating, reappeared in city police court today for a preliminary hearing on a charge of house-breaking with intent to commit theft.

James J. Proudfoot appeared as counsel and his request that accused's earlier election of a summary trial be changed to one by a higher court trial was granted by Magistrate H. C. Hall. He was remanded to Friday.

Olkovich is alleged to have broken into the apartment of Mrs. Juanita Jones, 1322 Blanchard, early Saturday morning on charges pertaining to articles stolen from cars, Esquimalt police reported.

Olkovich will appear on four counts of theft from parked cars outside HMC Dockyard early Sunday morning.

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SHOPPING GUIDE

Modern Dress Designers Improve on the Turtle

By PENNY SAVER

The turtle knows he's got something there when he crawls around with his house on his back! But not to be outdone, fashion designers have turned out the smartest daytime dress you ever saw, with little white houses all over it. This wool crepe in dark grey is styled on princess lines and buttons down the front in smoke grey.

The dress, formerly priced at \$49.50 and well worth it, is reduced for spring clearance to \$24.95.

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Anyone owning all those houses should be able to afford a smoker and lamp set at \$31.95. This is really a beautiful outfit. The chromium stand has two inset ash trays on opposite sides (the kind with tip-in lids) and two inset cigarette containers with chromium removable tops.

The base is of chromium and onyx, but the most unique features are the two little goose-neck shaded lamps, which are attached to the top at table height—perfect to set between two chairs for "his" and "her" individual use. Or can't this marriage be saved?

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If you want your menfolk to look crisp for spring, tell them about the sanforized shirts in a fresh-looking pin-stripe, selling for \$4.50 in one of our smart men's shops.

Striped in green, brown and an especially handsome blue on a white background, they are shown with blending ties.

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AS WE LIVE

Public-Minded Citizens Urged To Investigate Nursing Homes

By ELIZABETH B. HURLOCK PhD

Since I wrote a column recently about nursing homes for old people, I have received a flood of letters from readers about this matter. For the most part, these letters condemned such homes and claimed that they were not fit places to put elderly men and women. The letter below, written by a woman who signed herself, "One who likes old people," tells the side of the story that few people are familiar with:

(Q) "I worked in a nursing home for three years and had to stop working there because I could not stand watching the treatment the old people received. I read what the lady who wrote to you said about nursing homes and, from my own experience, I know what she said was true. I wish you could wake up people to the realization that most nursing homes are nightmares for old people. I hold no grudges when I say this."

(A) I hope that all who read this letter will be public-minded enough to investigate the conditions of the nursing homes in their own communities. Please see if the people who are there have proper treatment and that everything possible is done to make their last years happy.

When families make the necessary financial sacrifices to put a mother or father whose health is failing into such homes, they do so in the belief that their parents will receive the professional care when they themselves can not give.

The same holds true for homes that are maintained by state, city, or charity funds. Families naturally assume that proper care is given to the old people who live there for all seem well on visiting days. While many old people become homesick in nursing homes or hospitals, their families accept this as a necessary evil to the good care they believe their relatives are receiving away from home.

While the average person can't investigate conditions in nursing homes, they can ask their doctors and clergy to make such investigations. If conditions are found to be unsatisfactory, they can then be reported to the authorities who give such homes licenses to operate.

If you have a personal problem, write Elizabeth Hurlock in care of this newspaper.

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by Alice Brooks

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TODAY'S RECIPE

SHRIMP A LA VIRGINIA

Two slices bacon, chopped; $\frac{1}{4}$ cup finely chopped onions; $\frac{1}{4}$ cup tomato paste, 1 tablespoon catsup, 1 cup top milk or cream, 1 clove garlic, chopped fine; 1 teaspoon salt, $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon pepper—2 cups cooked rice; $1\frac{1}{2}$ cups cooked shrimp.

To make three liberal cups of fluffy rice, put 1 cup of uncooked rice, 2 cups of cold water and 1 teaspoon of salt into a 2-quart saucepan and bring to a vigorous boil. Turn the heat as low as possible. Cover saucepan with a lid and leave over this low heat for 14 minutes. Turn off the heat. Do not remove lid nor stir rice while it is cooking. After rice has cooked, remove saucepan from heat—but keep the lid on until rice actually is served.

Use exact measurements of rice and water. Time the cooking accurately.

Slowly cook the bacon and onions until the onions are tender but not browned and the bacon is cooked. Add the tomato paste and catsup and mix thoroughly. Slowly add the hot milk or cream. Add the garlic, salt, pepper, rice and shrimp. Cover and cook over low heat until shrimp are thoroughly heated. Serve hot. Garnish with whole shrimp and bacon, if desired. This recipe makes 6 servings.

Don't overlook the goodness of a carrot and raisin salad during these winter months. Grate the carrot rather coarsely. If you like the raisins puffy, plump them for a few minutes in hot water. Combine the two with a mixture of crushed pineapple and mayonnaise.

WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Neck and Shoulder Contour Improved Through Exercise

Yesterday I concentrated on height position. Continue. The exercises which will rid us of some of the kinks (that's a kind word for bulges), after all of the rich holiday food. After Christmas and New Year's we are all more susceptible to the idea of self-improvement because we have eaten too much, rushed too much and gotten too little sleep. Maybe the arthritis kicked up as a result or pimples made their appearance, not to mention bulges!

Anyway, we feel that we have a new chunk of life to work with. Strange as it may seem to those of us who must constantly fight extra pounds, there are some women who are eager to gain some or at least to fill out certain proportions.

A recent letter reminded me that it has been a long time since I have written about the too thin neck. Even women who have the correct weight often have bony looking necks and shoulders. The reader whose letter I mention admits to underweight, but says that her neck and shoulders worry her most, that she cannot wear an evening gown or swim suit with confidence.

Naturally, a few more pounds would help the situation greatly. However, there are also some exercises which will help fill out contour.

For the neck Stand tall with your arms hanging at your sides, chest up, stomach in and hips under. Raise the right arm upward as you lower your head to the right, touching your ear to your arm. Palm of the right hand is toward the head. Lower the arm and straighten the neck. Repeat this exercise 10 times slowly. Do the same thing with the left arm, lowering the head to the left.

Neck exercises are also helpful in building up contour in this spot.

For the shoulders: Raise the arms forward, shoulder height and shoulder width apart, palms facing each other. Swing the arms backward in a relaxed manner, still shoulder height and palms facing forward. Return arms to front, shoulder

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Toronto Woman Radio Program

Director, Amateurs' Model

TORONTO (CP)—Girls who cherish dreams of a career in radio should listen first to Leigh Lee. She could give them some good tips.

Mrs. Lee, whose unusual name is matched by an unusual name, is program director of station CHUM in Toronto. Her job places her on the top rungs in private radio, and she started at the bottom.

The tall, attractive blonde is one half of a husband-and-wife team. Her husband, Robert, is manager of the station. But it would be an injustice to say Leigh got where she is on anything but her own ability. She has been tested and proven in radio's most competitive area in Canada—toronto.

When it comes to opportunities for women in radio, Leigh says if they forget the urge to get behind a microphone, their chances will improve. She advises them to concentrate on writing, traffic and promotion work. Although there are a few women doing well as announcers, the field is still dominated

by men, and Mrs. Lee thinks women have a better chance in other fields.

Then she retired from radio for a housewife's role. But she was destined to remain in radio. The marriage didn't succeed and before long she was writing on a free-lance basis.

"To keep me interested," she said, "but it wasn't enough to keep me eating." In 1949 she landed a promotion job with CHUM.

Four days after she joined the station the liner Noronic burned in Toronto harbor, and it was then Leigh earned her spurs.

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OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Mainland Guests Arriving

Among Vancouverites coming to the capital city for opening of the Legislature and the State Ball on Tuesday evening, are Mr. and Mrs. W. Tasker Cook, who arrived today and are staying at the Empress Hotel.

Already in the city are Senator J. W. deB Farris and Mrs. Farris and Mr. Douglas Dewar and Mrs. Dewar. They are also staying at the Empress Hotel.

For the opening of the Legislature, Mrs. Cook has chosen a soft grey imported tailleur-style on slim lines with black accessories and a black French silk hat and sables; for the State Ball, a Swiss imported gown of silver blue satin with bouffant skirt. Her jewels will be the family pearls.

Black is the choice of Mrs. Farris for both afternoon and evening. She has chosen a black crepe dress for the afternoon with a fine black straw hat accented with a winged trim in rose beige. Her ball gown is of shimmering sequins, classically styled with ruched black chiffon outlining the hem of the skirt and the bodice.

Royal blue satin, brocaded with touches of gold and red, is choice of Mrs. Dewar for her gown for the State Ball. It is styled with fitted bodice and a graceful skirt with bustled back extending into a short train. She will wear red shoes and a necklace to complement the gown.

Social Calendar at Yacht Club

The month of February at Royal Victoria Yacht Club will see members enjoying an informal Valentine dance on Saturday, Feb. 14, from 9:30 to 1, with orchestra and refreshments and a cocktail party and buffet supper on Saturday, Feb. 28. Both affairs will be held in the attractive clubhouse.

Visitors From Vancouver

Mrs. S. A. McKeague, Toronto, and her daughter, Mrs. Douglass Blackett, Vancouver, were weekend visitors in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Nicolson, Joan Crescent.

Church Guild Tea

Members of St. George's Ladies Guild, Cadboro Bay, entertained members and new members of the church at a tea in the parish hall recently. The tea table was covered with a lace cloth and centred with an attractive arrangement of daffodils, plum blossoms and pussy willows, flanked by lighted green candles in silver holders. Miss Molly Turner and Mrs. H. E. Geddes received the more than 90 guests. Tea convener was Mrs. E. McNeill, assisted by Mrs. H. T. MacGregor, Mrs. L. Kelly and Mrs. C. H. Rennie.

Dinner at Oak Bay Hotel

Members of the Quota Club gathered last Friday evening for their dinner meeting in Oak Bay Beach Hotel. Miss Hilda Harding presided and guest speaker was Dr. Olga Jardine, who told the gathering about a trip to Lebanon. Miss Florence Phillips played piano forte solos.

Stag Party for Young Lawyer

Twenty-five friends of Mr. J. Ronald Grant, who is to be married to Miss Terry Butterworth in Montreal on Valentine's Day, gathered last Friday evening at the Somenos Drive home of Mr. Wes Bentley, for a stag party in his honor. Later in the evening, Mr. Grant left for Vancouver on the midnight boat for a short visit. He returned to this city by plane and will leave soon for eastern Canada.

Dine Together Before Ball

Many dinner parties are being arranged prior to the State Ball at Government House on Tuesday evening. Among those entertaining at the Union Club will be Mrs. Rupert Guthrie who will have as guests, Mrs. R. L. Smyth, Brig. and Mrs. W. G. Colquhoun, Brig. and Mrs. W. C. Thackray, Col. and Mrs. R. Braide, Maj. and Mrs. A. Morkill, Mrs. Will Spencer, Mrs. Vera Powell, Mrs. C. F. Armstrong, Mrs. M. Driscoll, Mr. Jeffreys Hale, and Mr. Harry Walker.

A no-host dinner party at the Union Club will be Mr. and Mrs. Norman Yarrow, Dr. and Mrs. Stuart Kenning, Dr. and Mrs. Gordon Kenning and Dr. and Mrs. Maitland Young.

Another no-host party at the Union Club will be Mr. and Mrs. W. Merston, Capt. and Mrs. J. D. Prentice, Mr. and Mrs. H. Edgell, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Holland, Mrs. Hobart Molson, Mrs. J. C. Jones of Vancouver, and Mrs. D. Hilliard.

Friends Fete Louise Martin

Victoria hostesses have entertained at several pre-bridal showers to honor Miss Louise Martin, who will exchange vows with Mr. MacDonald Porter in Vancouver on Feb. 7. The popular young singer was guest of honor at a Friday evening shower given by Mrs. J. Unwin, 1842 Crescent Road. Carrying out a musical theme, the gifts were arranged in a piano bench decorated with wedding music and musical notes to resemble a miniature. A corsage of violets and camellias was presented to the bride-elect. Mrs. W. Martin received violets. Other guests were Mesdames H. Kerr, A. Unwin, H. George, W. Unwin, Lorre, D. Dunn, S. Ireland, J. White, D. Carlsen, A. Wilkinson, F. Homan, H. Simpson, S. Fraser, E. Hume, and Misses Murie, Lorre, Isabel Pears, Deirdre Hitchcox and Carol Martin.

Madame Lugrin Fahey, "Stoneyhurst," Rockland Avenue, was also a recent hostess at a shower honoring her pupil, Miss Martin. Madame Fahey's three grandchildren, John Fahey, Sherry Fahey and Gay Kellie, were principals in a mock wedding procession, which entered the room to the strains of the "Wedding March." Miss Gay Kellie, the petite "bride," presented a bouquet of pink carnations and white freesia to Miss Martin and roses to Mrs. Martin. Gifts were later wheeled into the room by "bridegroom" John Fahey. Among the guests were Mesdames W. Marmo, L. Miller, B. Drysdale, I. Nash, J. Cozier, and Misses Geraldine Nash, Vivian Talbot, Isabel Pears, Gladwyn Hodge and Nancy Carmichael.

Mt. Douglas — Regular meeting of Mt. Douglas PTA will be held Wednesday evening at 8, in the school auditorium. Founders' Day will be observed and the school choir under G. Brown will attend. Refreshments will be served.

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Recent Nuptial Service

Belmont United Church was scene of a wedding recently when Viola Ferne Fussey, daughter of Mrs. E. M. Fussey, Victor Street, became the bride of Albert Hamilton Gratton, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Gratton, Tahsis, B.C. Rev. M. Dobson officiated.

For her wedding the bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Wildon Fussey, chose a gown of white nylon with sweetheart neckline and fitted bodice. Her embroidered veil cascaded from a coronet of pearls and she carried a colonial bouquet of red roses and white bebe chrysanthemums tied with satin streamers.

Mrs. A. Jewers, sister of the groom, was matron of honor, and Miss Joyce Fussey, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid.

Al Jewers was best man and Tom Saunders an usher.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Briggs, North Dairy Road. Roy Briggs proposed the toast. The couple will live in Tahsis.

OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Mrs. M. Brown entertained in her home, 3982 Cedar Hill Crossroad, on Friday night in compliment to Miss Edith Brown, who will wed in February. A lovely corsage of pale pink carnations was presented to the bride-elect and deep red rosebuds to her mother, Mrs. M. Lee. Shower gifts were arranged informally on a table before the guest of honor. Among those attending were Mrs. M. Currier, Mrs. W. McMichael, Mrs. J. R. Rose, Mrs. H. G. Patterson, Mrs. D. Slaggert, Mrs. W. Panter, Mrs. J. Furman, Mrs. B. Morgan.

A reception, following the symphony concert to be held on Monday, Feb. 9, will be held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. McElroy, 1509 Rockland Avenue, to honor Mrs. Mary Hammond, first 'celist of the symphony, who is to be soloist. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. K. English and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baracough will receive and preside at the urns will be Mrs. Eliza Mayhew and Mrs. J. Ingram Smith. Serviteurs will be members of the women's committee.

CLUB CALENDAR

Royal Roads Chapter, IODE, annual meeting, Wednesday at 5:30 p.m., parlor, Oak Bay United Church.

Senior Woman's Auxiliary, St. Alban's Church, Wednesday at 2, at home of Mrs. R. Gardner, 3045 Doncaster Drive. Shower of articles for missionary layette. . . St. Mark's Woman's Auxiliary and Guild, Valentine tea, Wednesday at 2:30, parish hall. Home cooking and specialty pot holders for ale.

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A Month-End Wedding Day

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Chancery Guild — At annual meeting of St. Mark's Chancery Guild at the home of Mrs. Cecil Springford, Mrs. F. C. Turner was returned by acclamation as president. Others elected were honorary president, Mrs. G. H. Holmes; secretary, Mrs. John Sturdy; treasurer, Mrs. L. F. Nicholson; executive, Mesdames Cecil Springford, J. H. Carvosso, A. B. Cartwright and Miss Irene Aitken. Annual report showed a successful year, and many improvements made in St. Mark's Church, such as church brass relacquered, vacuum cleaner, window boxes and pulpit cross for festivals. Many gifts were donated during the year, including lighting fixtures and oak furniture.

Lieutenant-Governor Names Art Centre Galleries at Reception

Dual events at the Arts Centre of Greater Victoria Sunday afternoon attracted one of the largest gatherings in the history of the new Moss Street gallery.

First of a series of Sunday recitals by Victoria student artists coincided with the naming by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of the three main

galleries now in operation.

The affair also served to introduce February's month-long campaign to finance the centre for the ensuing five years.

In naming the main gallery, "Spencer," His Honor paid tribute to Miss Sara Spencer and her family for their many philanthropies and contributions to the cultural life of the city.

The "Kearley Gallery" was named in honor of Hon. Mark Kearley, whose early start and high hopes for an arts centre have been so well realized.

The third gallery will be known as the "Massey," commemorating the official opening of the centre by His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in October last. A replica of the golden key presented at that time to the Governor-General was presented by His Honor to Miss Spencer.

Miss Spencer responded by saying that she was delighted with the success of the Arts Centre in its new home and felt that she and her family had been more than adequately thanked for anything they had done.

Tea was served to the Govern-

ment House party in an upper gallery. The tea table was centred with a bowl of daffodils and plum blossom and was presided over by Mrs. H. P. Hodges.

The musical program, first of several to be presented by pupils of the Victoria Branch, B.C. Registered Music Teachers' Association, featured three young artists. The poised and highly talented young pianists were Lorraine Brand and Carol Wootton. Clemency Perrins delighted her audience with several charming songs.

Floral arrangements throughout the gallery were the work of Miss Florence Ede and consisted of plum blossom, Christmas roses, daffodils and pussy willows.

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breakfast nook, there is a utility room holding a deep freeze, washing machine, clothes drier, ironing boards, towel warmer, and heated linen cupboards. There is also a sewing machine table that can be moved to any position. Above the sink is a decorative fixture with concealed lighting, brightened by Lady Alexander's own china. The Alexanders are understood to be deeply appreciative of the gift, which gives them a kitchen probably without equal in Britain. (CP photo.)

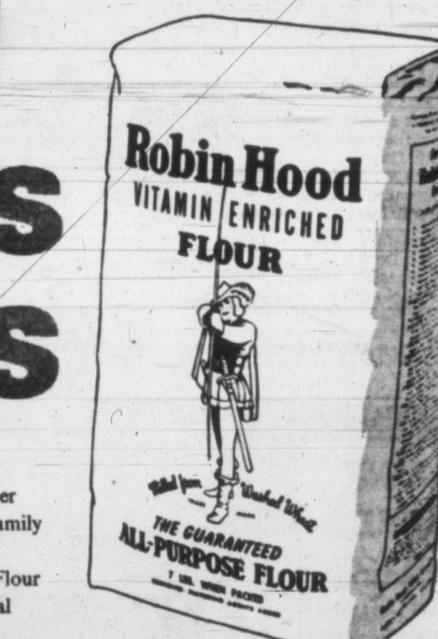
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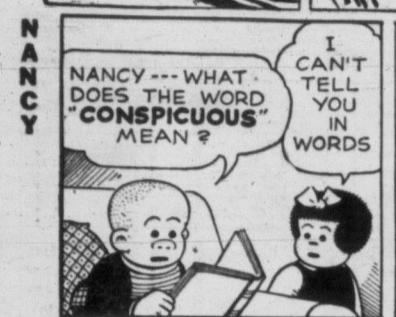
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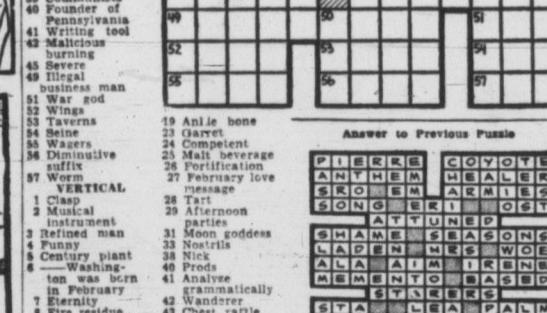
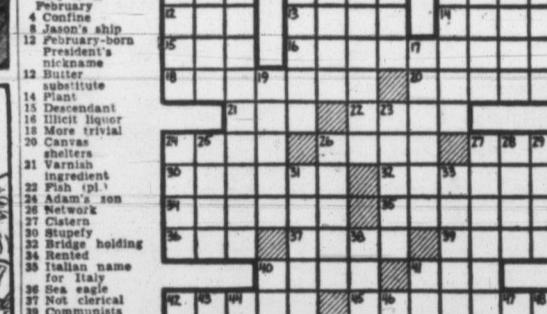
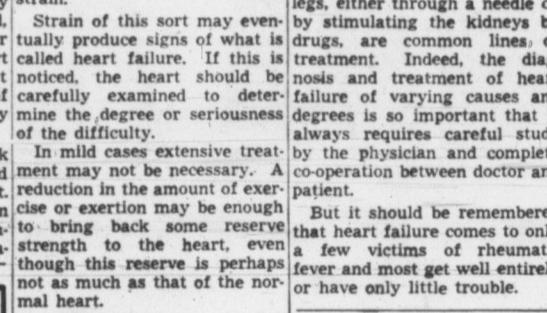
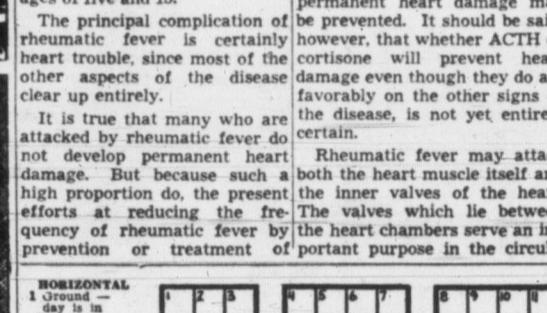
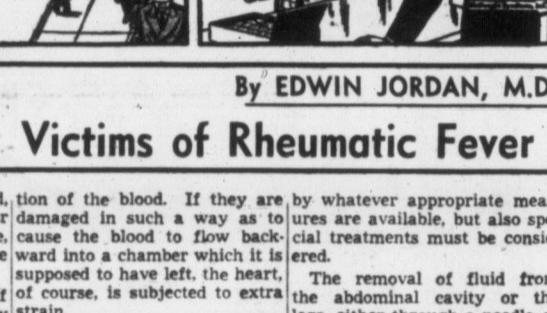
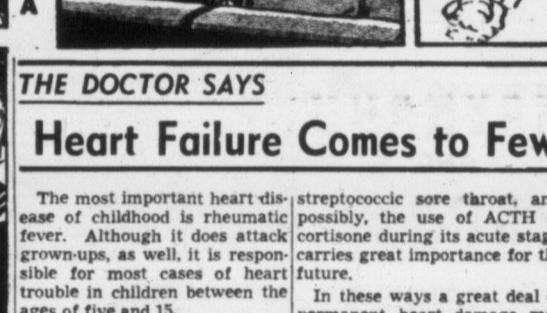


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J. R. Williams



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Jobs Offering Keep Abreast Of Demands

Despite weather conditions which have a direct bearing on the local employment picture, the job situation here remains good.

Charles A. Mudge, manager of National Employment Service Office, said today the number of job openings listed with his bureau about kept pace with the number seeking work.

Salesmen still are being sought here, and there are openings as well for shoe repairmen, furniture packers, body and fender mechanics, radio and television technicians, and glaziers.

The number of women applying for jobs has declined in recent weeks. Stenographers and domestic workers are still in demand.

The local office has on file many openings for professional and semi-professional people in other parts of Canada. Mr. Mudge said. Defense industries and the federal government both are seeking qualified persons from professional ranks.

Charge of Theft

George Kettle, 34, of 743 Market Street, charged with theft of fishing tackle over the value of \$25, has elected speedy trial in County Court.

His trial has been set for Monday, Feb. 9. Judge Joseph B. Clearihue will hear the case.

Kettle had his preliminary hearing in Saanich police court.

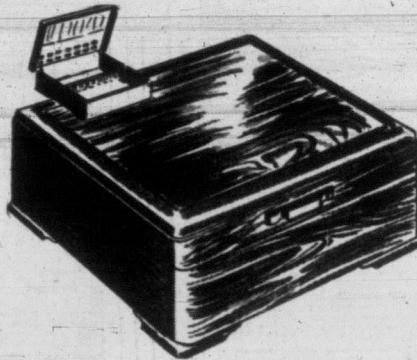
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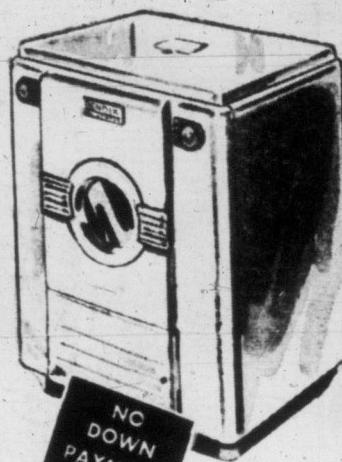
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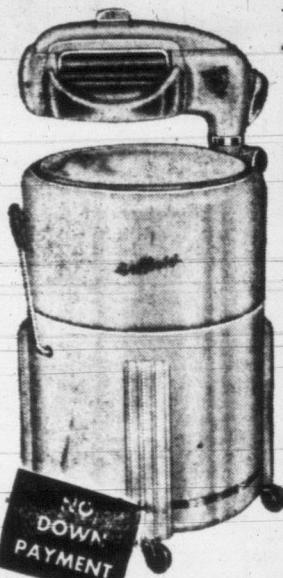
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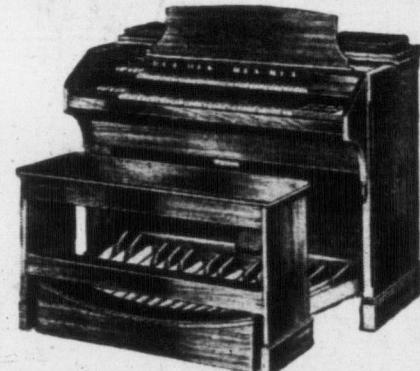


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850 Dead, Millions Homeless As Floods Hit U.K., Lowlands

Ike Releases Chiang Forces To Fight Reds Cancels Truman Fleet Order, Repudiates FDR-Stalin Deals

By LYLE C. WILSON

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Eisenhower told Congress today the U.S. fleet will "no longer shield Communist China" from armed Nationalist invasion and called for repudiation of secret Roosevelt-Stalin agreements to bear the slate for a "new, positive foreign policy."

In his first State of the Union message, he also charged that prevented Chinese National "middle way" in domestic poli-troops on Formosa fromies, proposing tax cuts at the raiding the Red China mainland. It was his first move to step up military pressure on the Chinese Reds for peace in Korea and throughout Asia.

In another implied slap at his Democratic predecessor, Mr. Eisenhower said the United States has "incontrovertible evidence that Soviet Russia possesses atomic weapons," regardless of Mr. Truman's recently-voiced doubts on the matter.

He recommended abandonment of wage-price controls which expire April 30.

Highlight of the hour-long dress was his blunt announcement that he is cancelling the orders issued by former President Truman in June, 1950, under which the U.S. fleet.

To Extend Reciprocal Trade Act

His major legislative proposals included:

1. Extend the tariff-cutting reciprocal Trade Act with due safeguards for domestic industries, agriculture and labor standards.
2. Grant Hawaii statehood in time to participate in the 1954 congressional elections.
3. Corrective amendment of the Taft-Hartley Act for which the Labor Department will have recommendations.
4. Amend the McCarran-Walter Immigration Act to remove racial discrimination and injustices.
5. Extend to additional millions of persons the coverage of the Old Age and Survivors' Insurance (Social Security Act)

Vill Recognize No Secret Pacts

Mr. Eisenhower said he would seek Congress "at a later date" to pass a resolution "making clear that this government recognizes no kind of commitment entered in secret understandings of the past with foreign governments" which permits the enslavement of any people, "we did not elaborate."

Before announcing his dramatic decision to unleash Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek's nationalist troops on Formosa for whatever harassing raids they conduct against the Chinese mainland, Mr. Eisenhower repeated his earlier pledge to aid up Republic of Korea to assume a larger share of the Korean fighting.

The language of the message clearly indicated—and administration sources confirmed—that the U.S. fleet will continue protecting Formosa from Communist invasion from the mainland. But the "neutrality patrol" which Mr. Truman ordered a and a half years ago will longer serve to bottle up the nationalist army on its island.

Mr. Eisenhower spelled out reasons for changing instructions to the Seventh Fleet, since the 1950 orders were issued, Chinese Communists had attacked United Nations forces in Korea and Red China had invaded the Soviet Union in re-



Chiang Freed

President Eisenhower's new orders to the 7th Fleet, announced to Congress today, would allow Chinese nationalists under Gen. Chiang Kai-Shek (above) to launch commando-type raids across Formosa Strait to mainland. Previously, U.S. Fleet had played neutralizing role in Formosa waters.

BULLETINS

Ont. Woman Shot

STRATFORD, Ont. (CP) — A young woman was shot to death today on a busy downtown street. Police shortly afterwards questioned a paratrooper in connection with the shooting but did not release his name.

The victim is reported to be Marilyn Satchell, about 17, an 11th grade student at Stratford collegiate.

To Jail or Russia

NEW YORK (AP) — Thirteen convicted U.S. Communist leaders today were offered a choice, either go to Russia or to jail, but defense counsel promptly rejected the go-to-Russia alternative.

Judge Edward Dimock put forward his unusual "probation plan" as the Red Leaders were called into court for sentencing.

The President said direct wage-price controls have been a flop in controlling inflation and he will not ask that they be extended beyond April 30, even on a standby basis. He said decontrol will, in fact, begin even before April 30 "in an orderly manner."

The President preferred persuasion and example in seeking overall civil rights to any program of federal legislation. He assumed without qualification responsibility for assuring the loyalty of all persons in the executive branch of government and implied he would be happy if Congress left the loyalty problem to him.

The extension is asked to prevent surplus Fraser Valley milk from flooding the market.

Safecrackers Start Fire, Take \$10,000

VANCOUVER (CP) — Safecrackers escaped with \$10,000 early today from an Arbutus Street super-market.

A big safe was carted away after a terrific explosion blew a hole in a second-story office, plunging the strongbox to the main floor of the store.

"The charge of explosive not only blew a hole in the floor, but started a fire in a washroom into which the safe fell," reported owner Dave MacFarlane.

Sacks of flour, which the safecrackers used to muffle the explosion, were used by police to extinguish the fire.

The cracksmen carefully bypassed the burglar alarm system.

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39 Lost IN PLANE OVER ATLANTIC

Missing Aircraft
Now Total Five

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

Five aircraft with 62 persons aboard were being hunted today from bases on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. One man is known dead in another plane crash and five others are presumed to have been downed.

Thirty-nine persons were aboard Skysways of London four-engined York reported early today to be down in the icy North Atlantic. Winds of almost 75 miles an hour churned the ocean in the search area.

An RCAF Lancaster bomber and its nine-man crew were missing in the rocky wilderness of Labrador. Two engines failed as the bomber searched Sunday for a U.S. civilian plane and its two occupants, missing four days.

At 30 FEET DEEP

At some points the swirling dikes were 30 feet deep. Farmers faced months and years of hard toil to reclaim the salt-damaged acres for agriculture. The waters poured south into Belgium, flooding even wider areas of Flanders and turning the great port of Antwerp into a city of confusion. Telephones and electric light were knocked out. Ships in drydocks were overurned.

At Graveldeel — population 5,316—55 were reported dead.

To the west, the twin islands of Goeree and Over-Flakkee reported 40 casualties and asked for a big steamer to evacuate the population.

So far, 32 drowned had been reported from the islands of Zealand province. Some of these islands still were cut off from the outside. Nord Beveland — more than 60 square miles in area — was said to be totally under water. Another Zealand island, Schouwen-Duiveland, also was out of touch.

Thousands of Dutch and Belgians tried to plug the gaping holes in the dikes with sandbags or fought their way through the swirling, near-freezing waters seeking survivors. Many were drowned in their homes before they could escape.

Two battalions of French army engineers were dispatched to the stricken lowlands.

Despite its own catastrophe across the channel, Britain's Royal Navy ordered four helicopters to Valkenberg, The Netherlands, to assist.

Hospitals at King's Lynn and Tilbury were partially flooded and isolated but no new loss of life was reported there.

By GORDON FORBES
Times Legislature Reporter

The nation's political spot-

today focussed on British Columbia as the world's second Social Credit government,

outnumbered by its opposition,

prepared to face the Legisla-

tive for the first time.

The 23rd Legislative Assem-

blie opens at 3 p.m. Tuesday

with delivery of the traditional

Speech from the Throne by Lieut.-Gov. Clarence Wallace.

The new government's poli-

cies will be watched closely by

political observers. They will

be watching to see if any real

Social policies, reminiscent of

1933 in Alberta when the party

first came to power, are insti-

tuted, or if the fledgling gov-

ernment will follow traditional

Tory principles because of the

large number of ex-Tories

within its ranks.

The Throne Speech, however,

will not reveal all the govern-

ment's plans. It will give a

general outline of the govern-

ment's course of action during

the session, but details of the

program will not be known un-

til legislation is presented to

the House.

All indications are that there

will be no major changes in

hospital insurance, but this sub-

ject will undoubtedly provoke

some hot clashes in the House.

The government will increase

the education load.

The government will increase

the sales tax exemption on

meals from 50 cents to \$1.

A new tax on the profits of

logging operators and an in-

crease in the same tax on pri-

mary mining operations is re-

portedly under consideration.

Government policy will be re-

viewed on extension of the Pa-

cific Great Eastern Railway

from Squamish to Vancouver, and construction of a road from

Vancouver to Squamish via the

Capilano Valley.

The House, an 48 mouths, will be open from tomorrow on.

He's state of th' union speech has thrown th' union into quite a state.

* * *

Bin readin' about them poor storm-wrecked countries.

An' we thought our little rainy spell wuz a flood!

* * *

Th' House, an' 48 mouths, will be open from tomorrow on.

4 Million Hollanders Hard Hit

AMSTERDAM (AP) — The official Dutch radio said today that it had received unconfirmed reports of the death of 70 persons at Stellendam, in south Holland, which would boost the death toll in Holland's flood disaster to 464.

The death toll mounted rapidly as the stricken little countries mustered their resources to meet mounting dangers of disease and starvation. Search teams still were unable to contact many flooded areas.

Authorities estimated that areas populated by 4,000,000 Dutch and Belgians were flooded. Both countries proclaimed a state of emergency.

The Dutch weather bureau warned that high winds today would continue to threaten the broken dikes.

Breaching Holland's historic dikes in countless places, the flood-waters poured inland as much as 40 miles at some points. Hardest hit were the provinces of Zeeland and Northern Holland.

ANHEMSTOFT, Suffolk — A policeman rowed a boat up a church aisle to rescue 40 children from the chancel steps.

KING'S LYNN, Norfolk — In flooded St. Nicholas church, a church warden caught two fish near the pulpit.

THE DUTCH

More than 1,000 terror

stricken persons were homeless

or threatened by the raging

seas which continued to pour

inland in many flooded areas

of Holland — hardest hit of all

mustered its resources to res-

cue hundreds still stranded

and to hold back the giant

waves which swept as far as

40 miles inland. Dozens of